

# THE RECALL



1927





the 1990s, the number of people in the UK who are aged 65 and over has increased from 10.5 million to 12.5 million, and the number of people aged 75 and over has increased from 4.5 million to 6.5 million (Office of National Statistics 2000).

There is a growing awareness of the need to address the needs of older people in the community. The Department of Health (1999) has published a strategy for older people, which sets out a vision for the future of older people's services. The strategy is based on the principle of 'active ageing', which is the process of maintaining and enhancing the ability of older people to live independently and to participate in the community. The strategy also sets out a number of key objectives, including: to improve the health and well-being of older people; to promote social inclusion and participation; and to ensure that older people have access to the services and support they need.

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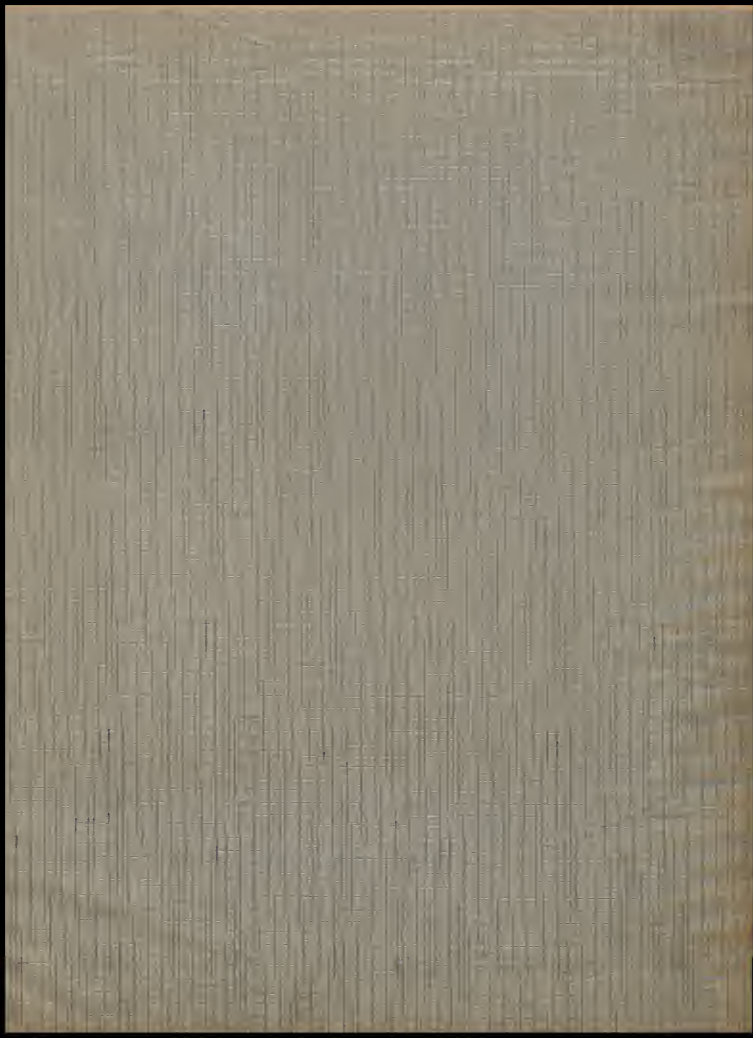
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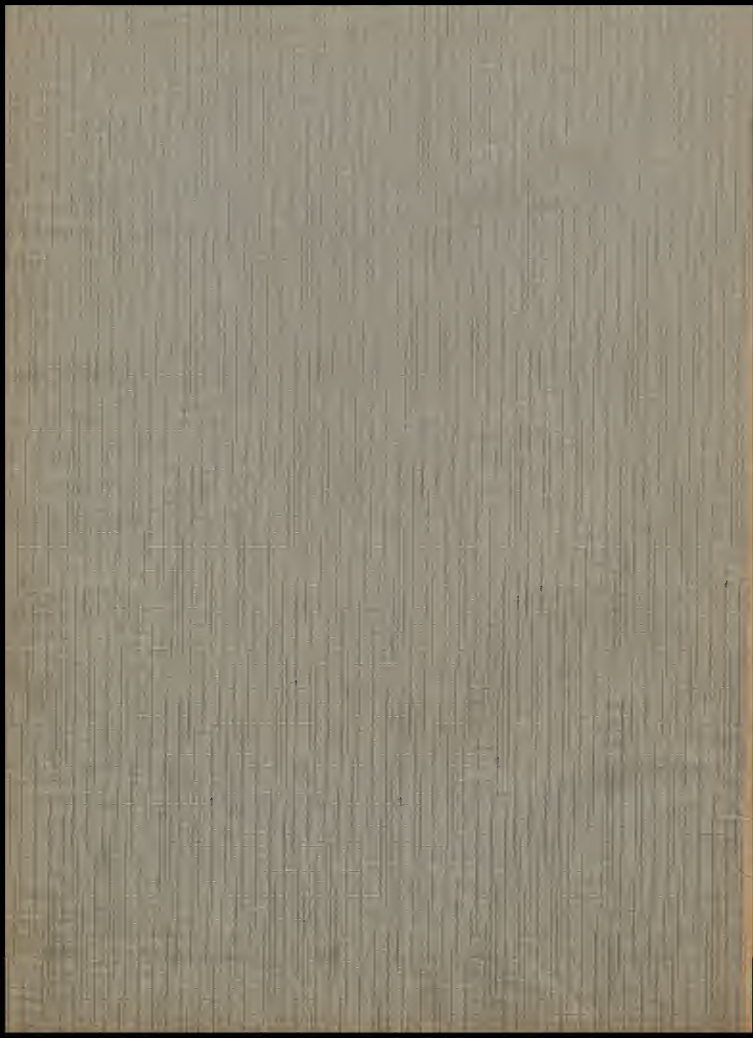




## THE COLORS

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Regimental Colors	.	.	.	.	.	SERGEANT DEIMLING
Guard	.	.	.	.	.	PRIVATE GIVENS
Guard	.	.	.	.	.	PRIVATE BORAH, O.







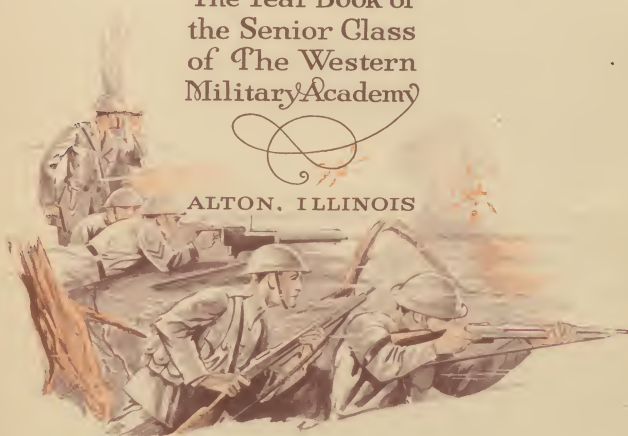
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the Senior Class  
of The Western  
Military Academy



ALTON, ILLINOIS



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*Business Manager*  
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# FOREWORD

Pleasant thoughts of true fellowship  
with academic friends and faculty,  
now vivid and seemingly indelible,  
will gradually fade and pass.   △   △

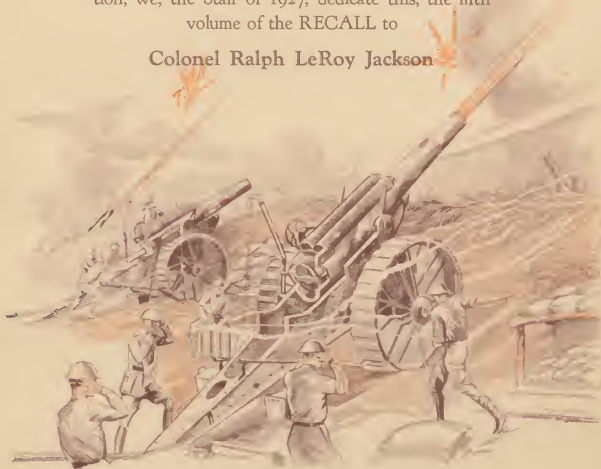
To preserve these memories for  
future moments of enjoyment is the  
object of this book.   △   △   △   △



# DEDICATION

Appreciation is an intangible quality. It can only be expressed through some outward token. Therefore, as a concrete symbol of our sincere appreciation, we, the Staff of 1927, dedicate this, the fifth volume of the RECALL to

**Colonel Ralph LeRoy Jackson**





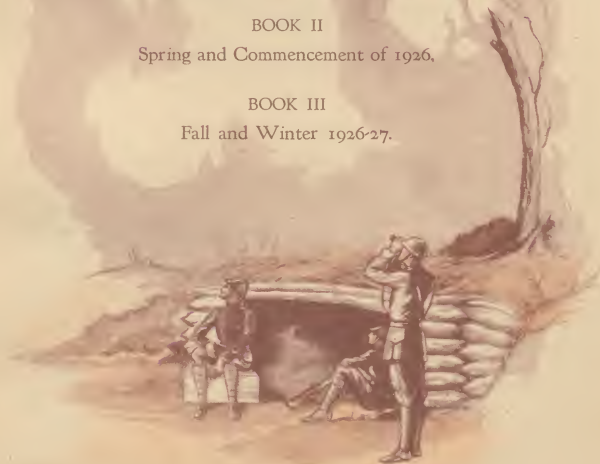
COLONEL RALPH LEROY JACKSON

# ORDER *of* BOOKS

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The Academy

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Spring and Commencement of 1926,

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Fall and Winter 1926-27.





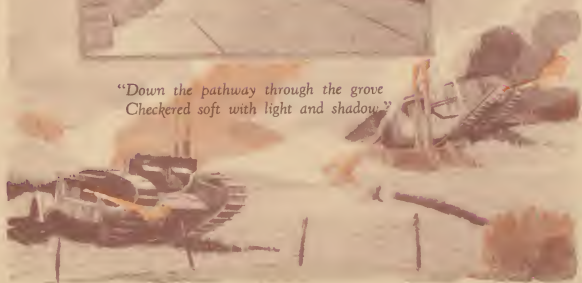
COLONEL G. D. EATON







"Down the pathway through the grove  
Checkered soft with light and shadow."

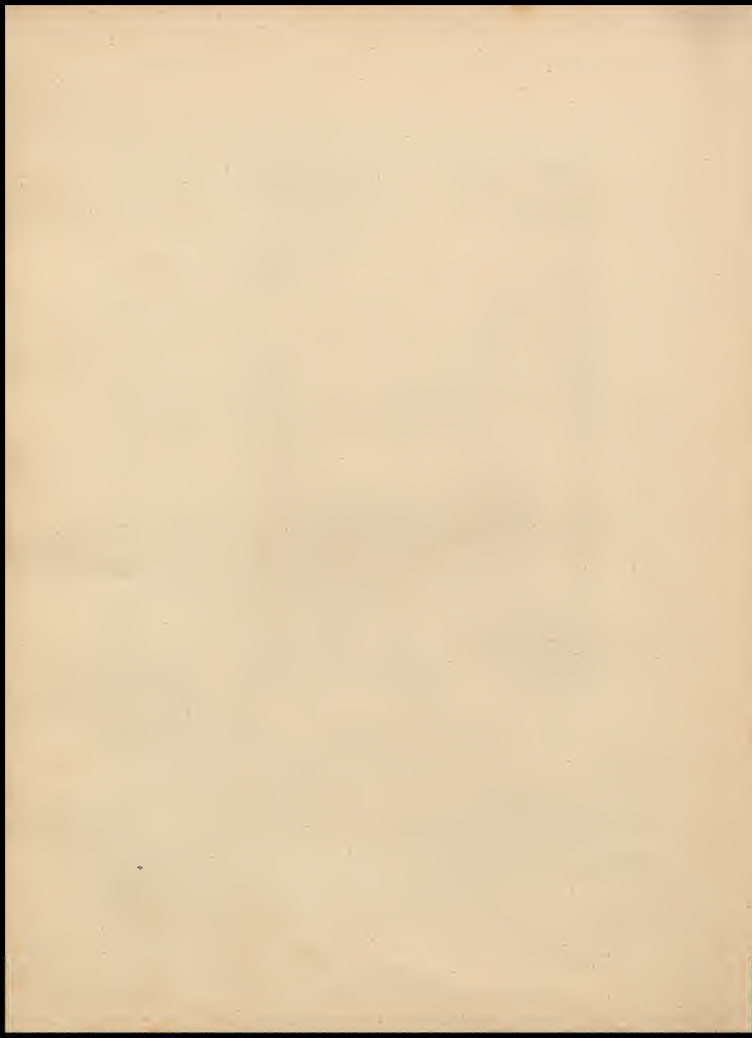






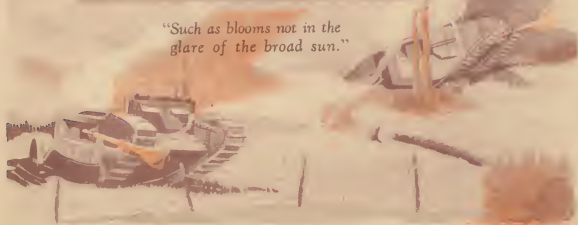
"Oh, there is not lost  
One of earth's charms."

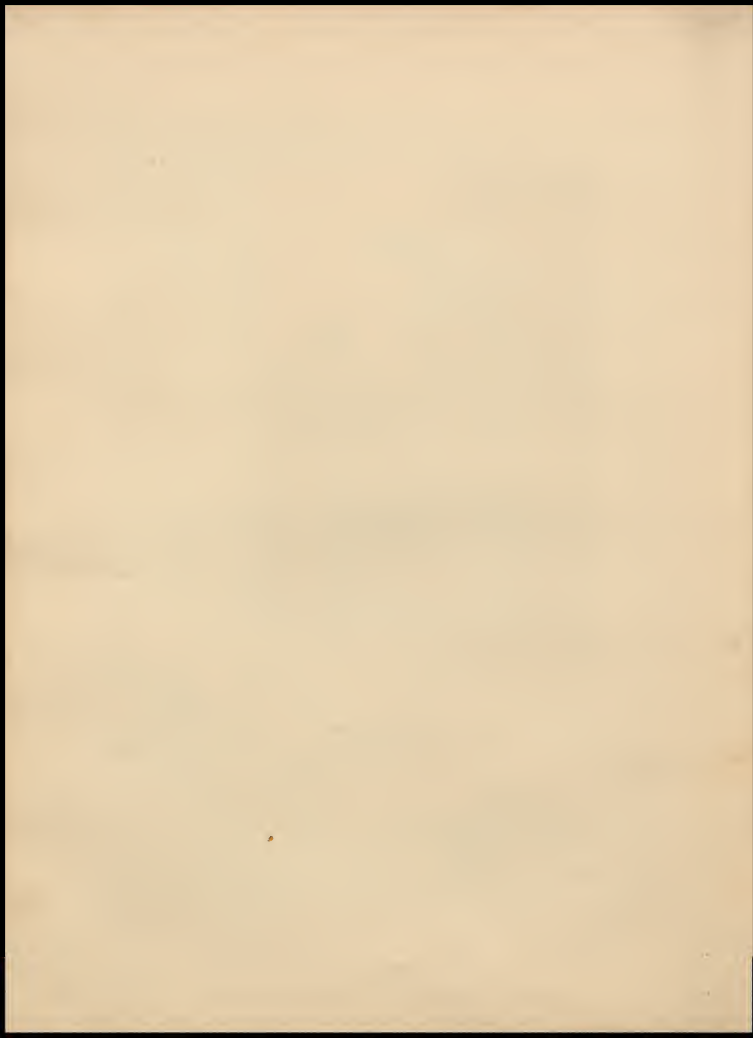






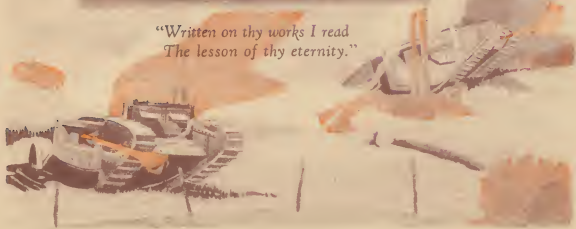
"Such as blooms not in the  
glare of the broad sun."







*"Written on thy works I read  
The lesson of thy eternity."*









THE DECADE 1917

## *The Academy*

*The Administrative Detail*

*The Academic Staff*

*The Department of Military Science  
and Tactics*

*The Class of 1927*

*The Junior College Department*

*The Junior Class*

*The Sophomore Class*

*The Freshman Class*

*The Grammar School*





## THE RECALL, 1937



COLONEL GEORGE DANIEL EATON, *President*

St. Louis Manual Training School, 1884; Central Business College, St. Louis, 1891; Instructor in Mathematics and Science, Wyman Institute, 1889-92; Assistant Principal Western Military Academy, 1892-96; Vice-President and Assistant Superintendent Western Military Academy, 1896-1919; Superintendent Western Military Academy, 1919-25; President since 1919; connected with the school thirty-eight years.

COLONEL RALPH LeROY JACKSON, *Litt. B., Superintendent*

Litt. B., Princeton University, 1911; Summer Course Harvard University, 1912; Graduate Western Military Academy, 1906; Instructor and Principal Western Military Academy 1911-25; Superintendent since 1925; connected with the school sixteen years.





MAJOR ROBERT EDGAR WILKINSON, LL. B., *Principal*  
*Mathematics*

LL. B., Missouri State University, 1897; Warrensburg State Normal, 1893; Assistant Principal DeSoto (Mo.) Public Schools, 1889-90; Superintendent Bethany (Mo.) Public School, 1891-92; Superintendent Sarcoxie (Mo.) Public Schools, 1894-95; Superintendent Ironton (Mo.) Public Schools, 1897-1901; Instructor Missouri Military Academy, 1901-03; Instructor and Assistant Principal Western Military Academy 1903-25; Principal since 1925; connected with the school twenty-four years.

MAJOR RUSSELL SAMUEL EATON, A. B., *Registrar*  
*Mathematics*

A. B., Harvard University, 1922; Washington University S. S. 1925; Graduate Western Military Academy, 1916; Attended Reserve Officers' Training Corps Camp, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., 1918; Commissioned Second Lieut., Infantry, U. S. Army, September 16th, 1918; Detailed with Student Army Training Corps, Western State Normal School, Kalamazoo, Mich., September 16th to December 19th, 1918; Commissioned Officers' Reserve Corps, September 11th, 1922, and assigned to 344th Infantry, 86th Div., O. R. C., 6th Corps Area; Instructor and Registrar Western Military Academy since 1922.

MAJOR FRANK ALBERT GARETSON *Executive Officer*  
*Director of Activities*

University of Illinois Coaching School, 1923; Teller, Marine and American National Banks, San Diego, Calif., 1917-21; Registration Officer, U. S. Veterans' Bureau, District No. 9, St. Louis, Mo., 1921-23; Commissioned Officers' Reserve Corps, April 4th, 1924; Instructor and Executive Officer Western Military Academy since 1923.



CAPTAIN PAUL MURRAY LEURIG, A. B., A. M.

*English*

A. M. (in English) University of Illinois, 1925; A. B. Illinois College, Jacksonville, Ill., 1918; Assigned to special duty with Military Court U. S. A.; Commissioned Second Lieutenant of Infantry; Instructor I. C. O. T. S., Camp Pike, Ark.; Member of Officers' Reserve Corps since December, 1918; Assigned to 343rd Infantry, 86th Div., O. R. C., 6th Corps Area, Jan., 1922; Graduate research in English, University of Illinois S. S., 1920-24; Instructor in Rhetoric and Dramatics, Eureka 1919-21; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1921.

CAPTAIN THOMAS CARL JACKSON, A. B.

*Science*

A. B. Westminster College, Pa., 1895; Pennsylvania State Normal, 1888; Instructor Public Schools, Pennsylvania, 1888-90; McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, 1898; Summer Courses University of Chicago, 1913, 1915 and 1921; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1898.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM J. H. BUCK

*Latin and German*

Graduate Concordia Teachers' College, River Forest, Ill., 1898; Special work in Education, University of Tennessee, 1910-11, and University of Missouri, 1915-17; Extension Work in University of Chicago; Instructor Public Schools, Illinois, 1898-1906; St. Louis, Mo., 1906-09; Knoxville, Tennessee, 1909-11; Superintendent of Schools, Manito and San Jose, Ill., 1911-14; Principal of High Schools, Rolla, Mo., 1914-16; Instructor University of Missouri, 1916-17; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1917.





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CAPTAIN ARLOFF LAMORT WILLIAMS, A. B.

*History*

A. B., Grand Island College, Grand Island, Neb., 1920; Personnel duty, Headquarters Co., Camp Dodge, Iowa, 1918-19; Instructor Nebraska Public Schools, 1920; Graduate work in Department of Sociology, University of Chicago, 1921-23; Summer term, History, U. of Chicago, 1924-26; Head of History Department, Blue Island High School, Blue Island, Ill., 1922-23; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1923.

CAPTAIN B. C. RICHARDSON, A. B., M. A.

*English*

B. A., Syracuse University, 1893; M. A. (honorary) ibid, 1896; Instructor Alton High School 1895-96; Assistant Principal Alton High School, 1896-1906; Principal 1906-22; Summer Session, University of Chicago, 1898, 1903, 1923; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1926.

CAPTAIN MILAN C. HOLMES, PH. B.

*History and Athletics*

Ph. B., Upper Iowa University, 1902-03-17; Student DePauw University, Greencastle, Ind., 1903-05; Athletic Director, Charles City College, Charles City, Iowa, 1905-06 and 1907-08; Fayette, Iowa, High School, 1906-07, 1914-15; Upper Iowa University, 1909-15; Athletic Director and Professor of History, Interlaken School for Boys, Rolling Prairie, Ind., 1917-18; Served in U. S. Marine Corps, U. S. S. Florida; Summer Course University of Wisconsin, 1922; Instructor Western Military Academy since February, 1919.





CAPTAIN J. CHESTER LITTLEFIELD, B. S., M. A.

*Physics and Chemistry*

M. A., Princeton University, 1924; B. S., Boston University, 1922; Assistant Instructor, Princeton University, 1923-24; Instructor Barrington, R. I. High School, 1924-25; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1926.

CAPTAIN EUGENE F. BRADLEY, B. A.

*French and Spanish*

B. A., Wisconsin University, 1926; Summer Session University of Iowa, 1926; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1926.

CAPTAIN HENRY ERNST SUHRE, *Quartermaster*

*Commercial Branches*

Instructor Public Schools of Illinois, 1909-10; Commercial Course Brown's Business College, 1911-12; Post-Graduate work and Commercial Teacher's Course, Brown's Business College, 1916; Instructor and Assistant Principal Brown's Business College, Alton, Ill., 1916-18; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1918.





CAPTAIN HERBERT E. SMALL

*Music*

Graduate Nebraska State University School of Music; Instructor in Kansas City, Mo. public schools; Instructor in Kansas City Country Day School; Head of the Music Department Western Military Academy since 1926.

MRS. MARY D. HENDERSON

*English and Dramatics*

Boston School of Expression, 1905; Instructor Western Military Academy, 1909-15; Kirksville Normal; Instructor Western Military Academy 1926-27.

MRS. VERA WHITMORE SMALL

*Teacher of Voice and Piano*

Studied extensively under private teachers in New York, Chicago and Kansas City; Taught in private studio four years in Kansas City, Mo.; Ten year's experience as soloist and choir director in leading churches of Kansas City; Toured in concert, eight seasons as soprano soloist and accompanist.





MRS. ELSIE LEVERETT OWEN, B. S.

*Latin and English*

B. S. Shurtleff College, 1903; Student, State Normal, Normal, Ill., 1910—Summer Course Chicago University, 1920; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1918.

MRS. DORA CALDWELL MURPHY

*Dietitian*

Howard-Payne College, Fayette, Mo., 1880-95; Special work University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo., 1913-15; Superintendent B. B. Springs, Bowling Green, Mo., 1917-18; Instructor Public Schools in Missouri, 1918-19; Dietitian, Missouri Baptist Sanitarium, St. Louis, Mo., 1919-20; Dietitian, Hotel Statler, St. Louis, Mo., 1920-22; Dietitian Western Military Academy since 1922.

MISS THEODOSIA A. WATKINS

Eighteen years' experience at private nursing. Hospital experience. Registered with Government. Nursing two years during Flu epidemic. Resident nurse Western Military Academy since 1924.







MAJOR FRANK N. HENDERSON  
*Commandant*

Western Military Academy, 1908-13; Assistant Commandant, Western Military Academy, 1913-16; Commandant of Cadets, Missouri Military Academy, 1916-24; Officers' Training Camps, Fort Sheridan, Ill., 1918. Captain and Adjutant 1st Battalion 128th Field Artillery, Missouri National Guard, 1924; Commandant of Cadets, Western Military Academy since 1926.

CAPTAIN LEE S. GEROW, *Infantry*  
*Professor of Military Science and Tactics*

B. S. at Virginia Military Institute, 1913; Commissioned Second Lieutenant, 36th Infantry, November 30, 1916; First Lieutenant same date; Captain, 36th Infantry, July 17, 1917; Major Infantry National Army, September, 1918; Assistant G-1, Welfare, Morale, and Athletic Officer of the American forces in Germany from March, 1920, to February, 1923; Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga., 1923-24; Assistant G-1 and Camp Adjutant, Camp McClellan, Ala., summer camps, 1923; Camp machine gun and auto rifle officer, Camp Custer summer camps, 1924-25; Assistant P. M. S. and T. at University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., 1924-25; P. M. S. and T. Western Military Academy since 1925.

CAPTAIN CHARLES HUNTER MOORE, *Senior Tactical Officer*  
*Military Science and Tactics*

Graduate Western Military Academy, 1921; 2nd Lieut., O. R. C., U. S. Army; Attended Reserve Officers' Training Camps at Camp Taylor, 1919. Camp Custer, 1920 and 1924; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1921.





CAPTAIN E. P. DROSTE, B. S.  
*Mathematics and Athletics*

B. S. , Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill., 1924; University of Illinois, Coaching School 1925; University of Wisconsin Summer Session 1926; Instructor Saunemon Ill. High School 1924-25; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1926.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM A. DEMINT, *Junior Tactical Officer*  
*Military Science and Tactics*

Graduate Western Military Academy, 1922; Attended Reserve Officers' Training Camp at Camp Custer, 1920 and 1922; Instructor Western Military Academy since 1922.

TECHNICAL SERGEANT ALBERT EDWARD DUNSTER, D. E. M. L.; Inf. U. S. A.  
*Assistant Instructor in Military Tactics*

Naval Service 1902-10; 15th Calvary, 1910-13; Recruiting Service 1913-18; Camp Sherman 1919-21; 2nd Infantry U. S. A. Fort Sheridan 1921-24; Western Military Academy since 1924.





## *Senior Class*

### *The Class of 1927*

THERE is not a one of us but that feels a bit regretful at leaving our Alma Mater, because for four years she has been so close to us that she seems to be a part of us. Wherever we allow ourselves to wander in pursuit of the "elusive" career, and whatever we finally do accomplish, we shall never cease profiting from our training received here; and we shall never forget nor regret the acquaintances and associations formed here.

#### OFFICERS

President	.	.	.	.	.	JOE CARROLL McWILLIAMS
Vice-President	.	.	.	.	.	JESSE WILLIAM GREENLIFF
Secretary-Treasurer	.	.	.	.	.	WILLIAM VERNON BARRY





# JOE CARROLL McWILLIAMS, Δ Φ Ω

El Dorado, Ark.

Entered Sept., 1924  
Honor Roll, 1926  
2nd Football, 1926  
Co. Basketball, 1927  
Boxing Team, 1926

Color Sergt., 1925-26  
Capt., 1926-27  
Pres., Senior Class  
Gun Club, 1924-25-26-27  
Dramatic Club, 1927

"Ole" Mac, in his three years at Western, has succeeded in making a name for himself. He has attained a height in the Military, Athletic and Social life of the school. We can say without doubt, that Mac has really made a name for Arkansas and for himself. He has had the unusual distinction of rising to Captain in three years; President of the Senior Class and other prominent positions. We know that "Margie" is as proud of him as we are.

# JESSE W. GREENLIEF, Δ Φ Ω, Α Δ

Bellflower, Calif.

Entered Sept., 1924  
Honor Roll, 1925-26-27  
Corporal, 1925-26  
First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 1926-27  
Recall Staff, 1926-27

Medal—Corporal Best Drilled Squad, 1925  
Dance Committee, 1926-27  
Shrapnel, 1925  
Vice-President Senior Class

Jess is one of the men who, through untiring energy and perseverance, has made this book possible. We like him immensely. He is the sort that digs in and works like "blazes," gets results and does not blow his own horn. The world would be better if more of this type could be found. Many men come here and make good, but they inevitably spoil it by trying to impress us with the fact that they have done so—but not "Ole" Jess.

# VERNON BARRY

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1924  
Honor Roll, 1926  
Rinkydinks, 1924-25  
Cheer Leader, 1926-27  
Co. Track Team, 1926

Co. Baseball, 1926  
Corporal, 1926  
Lieutenant, 1926-27  
Recall Staff, 1927  
Dramatic Club, 1927

Class Treasurer

One thing the school at large agrees upon—that is, that Vernon is a prince of a fellow and one who has not been in any way spoiled by the responsibility vested in him.

To every man his just deserts. Ever since Barry left the narrow confines of South St. Louis, he has certainly earned whatever honors have befallen him during his sojourn at Western; three years made famous by the very presence of this energetic cadet. May he handle the problems of life with as much endeavor as the "boys" of E Company.





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HENRY WARD BAKER  
Harrisburg, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Honor Roll  
Hockey Team, 1927  
Track Team, 1925-26-27

Rinkydink Football, 1926  
Corporal, 1926  
Sergeant, 1927  
Drill Medal, 1924

"H. W." is one of those hard boiled sergeants you hear so much about, but don't let that mislead you. A finer fellow never wore a pair of Sergeant's chevrons, or filled his position in a better manner. He is not only active in military work, but hurls a "mean javelin".

J. BRUCE DREVER, Φ A Ω, Δ Δ  
Glencoe, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1924  
Honor Roll, 1925-1926  
Tennis, 1924-25-26  
Hockey Team, Capt., 1926-27

Private, 1924  
Corporal, 1925  
Sergeant, 1926-27  
Dance Committee

After three years of association with Bruce, we can pass judgment to the effect that he is one of the best comrades the school has ever enrolled. By virtue of his "gift of gab" his high standing has been well preserved.

If "Mouths" wind holds out, earning his bread and butter should present no difficulties after he leaves us here.

WILLIAM I. CAMPFIELD  
Richmond, Ind.

Entered Sept., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1926-27

Plebe Crack Squad "A" Co., 1926  
Dramatic Club, 1926-27

A man who has served two of the most creditable years with Western. He is the type of man that is essential to the success of any organization. The kind whose initiative is an asset. His dream is West Point. Our wishes—that it be realized.





EDWIN FOLLETT CARTER  
Cleveland, Ohio

Entered Sept. 17, 1926  
Honor Roll, 1926

Private  
Recall Staff

Dramatic Club

*Edwin is one of those quiet likable chaps, the kind that everyone wants for a friend. He has been here but a year; however, he has gained the friendship of every man who ever had the pleasure of knowing him. Bon Voyage—Old top.*

JOHN F. CONRAD, Φ Α Ω, Α Δ  
Webster Groves, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Second Basketball, 1923-24-25  
First Basketball, 1926-27

Second Football, 1926  
Corporal, 1924-25  
Sergeant, 1925-26-27

*Now, John is a fellow who is possessed of enough good qualities to enable him to pick his friends where and when he pleases. We are to be congratulated that he has made lasting friendships with so many of us. His rise to basketball fame was rapid, in that he is one of the "Ducky's" most brilliant substitutes.*

*When John returns to Western at future Commencements, he will not lack old friends because it is very decidedly understood that he's "all wool and a yard wide".*

EDGAR ALLEN COOK  
Alton, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1926-27  
Corporal, 1926-27

Recall Staff, 1927  
Shrapnel Staff, 1926-27  
Dramatic Club, 1925-26-27

Dance Committee, 1926-27

*Edgar has accomplished more in two years than a good many have in four. That is of being dependable. Aside from being one of the native sons of Alton he hasn't any faults. To him who knows all of the "debs" of "the town", we predict a brilliant future.*





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CLEON F. COLE,  $\Phi \Delta$

Marion, Ind.

Entered Sept., 1926

Tennis, 1926-27

Private C Co.

*Cole is one of those good natured, care-free fellows that everybody likes. He watches life pursue its wanton course, with a perpetual smile. Cleon served only a year here, but each day he seems to grow more amiable. It would be sophistry, however, to conclude that he does not have his serious moments. When duty calls he can be as serious as the next fellow, and he has accomplished more than the lion's share for the short time he has been with us. May luck be with you, old boy.*

ROBERT O. FURMAN

Harrisburg, Ill.

Entered Jan., 1924

Second Football, 1926

Dramatic Club

Private

Band

*It takes all kinds of men to make a world—the farmer, the lawyer, and the minister—each necessary in his place. Without knowing much about the above gentleman from Illinois, I'd wager my weekly allowance that when he finishes some university he'll be found in the latter class.*

JOHN G. HENDRICKS

Cooper, Tex.

Entered Sept., 1926

Private D. Co.

*Hendricks hails from that little strip of country down near Mexico, where they drink the potent juice of the cactus all morning, worship Morpheus all afternoon, and court dark-eyed maidens in the evenings. It is a wild country, sown with stilettos and loco weed, but we need not fear as to the reception we may get at the hands of our friend, for his heart is as warm as the climate in which he dwells.*





PAUL W. HUCKINS, Δ Φ Ω  
Texarkana, Ark.

Entered Sept., 1924  
Second Football, 1926  
Corporal, 1925

Sergeant, 1926-27  
Rifle Team, 1924-25-26-27  
Gun Club, 1924-25-26-27

Our friend, Paul Huckins, came to us three years ago from the sunny side of the Mason and Dixon line. Since then he has done a great many surprising things. That he has made countless friends can be proved rather by the friends themselves than any mere words. We can truthfully say that it was a lucky day for Captain Gerow when Paul joined his rifle team. Unquestionably, he has lived up to all the memories and ideals of the Academy. May the ranks in the companies of Western always contain such men as Huckins.

RALPH C. LIBEAU

Entered Sept., 1925  
Upper Ten, 1926-27  
First Class Private, 1926

Sergeant, 1926-27  
Band, 1925-26-27  
Orchestra, 1925-26-27

Shrapnel Staff, 1925-26

Here, Ladies and Gentlemen, we have the representative of the motion picture world. During Ralph's two years at Western, our Saturday night picture shows have assumed a professional dignity that has caused our "Just a moment, please," signs to be placed in the discard.

JOHN B. MARKHAM, Α Δ  
Parsons, Kans.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Upper Ten, 1923-24-25-26-27  
Co. Track Team, 1926  
Sergeant, 1926

Second Lieut., 1926-27  
Band, 1923-24-25-26-27  
Orchestra, 1923-24-25-26-27  
Recall Staff, 1926-27

There are a great number of fellows around Western who say very little. John is one of these cadets. He is a fellow who, in his four years here, has been one of the mainstays of the Band. Through his hard work and his great work for the school he has risen to the position of Lieutenant. Upper Ten honors during 1923-27 were never safe when he was around.







SCHUSTER E. MEEK,  $\Phi A \Omega$ ,  $\Delta \Delta$   
St. Louis, Mo.

Entered, 1925  
Upper Ten, 1926-27  
Honor Roll, 1925-26-27  
Tennis Team, 1926-27

Corporal, 1926-27  
Crack Squad, 1926-27  
Shrapnel Staff, 1925-26  
Recall Staff, 1926-27

We can truly say that Meek swings a wicked racket. In his two years at W. M. A. he has achieved a number of things, among them being the mainstay of the tennis team. At present he is high ranking Corporal. In scholastic work he has ranked high on the Upper Ten and on the Honor Roll.

RAYMOND E. MINOR  
Kansas City, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1926

Jazz Orchestra, 1926-27

Band, 1926-27

"Ray" is another of Western's musically inclined boys. He is one of the leading members of the band, and is also a member of a number of "jazz" orchestras. His greatest weakness is History, but he surely does like "Prof" in that course.

LOUIS E. NOLTE,  $\Phi \Delta$ ,  $\Delta \Delta$   
St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Jan., 1923  
Upper Ten, 1925-26-27  
Gold Scholarship, 1925-27  
1st Football, 1926  
2nd Basketball, 1926  
2nd Football, 1924-25  
Corporal, 1924-25

1st Sergeant, 1925-26  
Captain, 1926-27  
Recall Staff, 1926-27  
Dramatic Club, 1926-27  
Rifle Team, 1925-26-27  
Chairman Dance Com., 1926-27  
Gun Club, 1925-26-27

Four and a half years ago a small fellow with a mighty voice entered the gates of Western to show the military world who he was. He rose rapidly in the esteem of the entire cadet corps as well as the officers in charge of the military, athletic, and military departments. Louis has not decided upon his plans for the coming year, but the authorities of Western have no fear for his future success.





### GEORGE BOARDMAN

Glencoe, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925

Swimming Team, 1926-27

Pistol Club, 1926-27

Field Music, 1925-26

Dramatic Club, 1926-27

Deciding that he needed a change of surroundings, George boarded a south bound train for W. M. A. After looking about, he decided that he was pleased with the place, and immediately set out to work. At first, it was quite apparent that he was to be the usual type of cadet, but Boardman, by his persistent effort, soon distinguished himself as a swimmer.

### NED POE, Δ Σ

Tulsa, Okla.

Entered Sept., 1926

Rinkydinks, 1926

Dramatic Club, 1927

Poe is a fellow from the land of "Oil". He came here as one of the plebes who find it very easy to get acquainted. Ned seems to be a fellow who is bound for the stage. He is a lad who did well in Dramatics and seems to be cut out for that work.

### WILLIAM G. RAITH, JR., Δ Δ

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923

Upper Ten, 1925-26

Honor Roll, 1925-26-27

Second Football, 1926-27

Ice Hockey Team, 1927

Corporal, 1926

Sergeant, 1926-27

Lieutenant, 1926-27

Recall Staff, 1926-27

Shrapnel Staff, 1925-26

Dramatic Club, 1927

Old Bill, better known as "Sacklefoot", is one of the old school's best fellows. One thing which he did which surprised us all was when he went out for the second team. Bill is the Leader of A Company and has quite a "Bunch". He is the Managing Editor of the Annual and has worked hard to make the book of the Class of "27" a success. He plans on entering Washington U. next year. Good luck to him.



MANUAL O. PADRES, A Δ  
Mexico City, Mex.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Upper Ten, 1925-26-27  
Boxing Team, 1926  
Co. Track Team, 1926  
Corporal, 1925

Sergeant, 1926  
First Sergeant, 1926  
Lieutenant, 1926-27  
Dramatic Club, 1927  
Shrapnel Staff, 1926-27

Dance Committee, 1926-27

"Mopo" and his C Barracks Cadets have given Torres' Barracks "a run" for their money—in the Barracks Competition. Although "Mopo's" barrack is trailing a little bit, it has not discouraged him in the least. Not only in the barracks is he a hard worker, but also in the other departments of the school.

CLEMENT L. MYERSON  
St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Rinkydink Football, 1923-24  
Rinkydink Basketball, 1924  
2nd Football, 1926

Boxing Club, 1925-26  
Corporal, 1925-26-27  
Glee Club, 1924-25-26  
Shrapnel Staff, 1924-25-26

Things would not go so well in "D" Barracks if it were not for "Old" Clem and his Buddy Monk—the two inseparables. He is a fellow who works hard, and has made a good record in his stay in the old school. September, 1927, may find him registering at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo. Who knows?

DAVID THOMAS  
Belleville, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1921  
Honor Roll, 1922  
Rinkydink, 1924  
Corporal, 1926

Sergeant, 1926  
Band, 1921 to 1926  
Jazz Orchestra, 1926-27  
Orchestra, 1921 to 1927

"Tom" holds the distinction of being one of the two cadets, now in school, who have been here for six years. The band, orchestra, and jazz-orchestra would be lost without him. Although he is a quiet chap, he is well liked by all.





FIVE HONORS 1925



WILLIAM H. WHITTON, A Δ

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Feb., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1926-27

Corporal, 1926  
Sergeant, 1926-27

Dramatic Club

Ever since the day that "Bill" slid into a cadet uniform until he felt the urge to obtain a diploma, he has gone the even tenor of his way, unobtrusive, but always "there". Always doing right will lead him along the high path, no matter what his future plans may be.

LEE E. WALTERS

Dexter, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923; Reentered, 1926  
2nd Basketball, 1926-27

2nd Football, 1926  
Corporal, 1926

Lee came to us in '23 from "Ole Swamp East" Missouri. He was not with us his Junior year, but came back this year, just so he could be "peanut" corporal for a while. He played well for the second basketball and second football teams. He is not sure where he will go to college, but we are sure that if he continues to get his Sunday "Special," while in college, he will make good.

HERMAN S. WOLFHEIM, JR.

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Jan., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1926  
Rinkydinks, 1926

Co. Track Team, 1926  
Crack Squad, 1925  
Glee Club, 1925

Ice Hockey Team, 1927

Long ago, way back in January, 1925, "Junie" entered Western. But despite the newness of the place, and the coldness of the weather, he never allowed anything to chill his ardor. On skates he is truly the "blue streak" of Lake Western. A quiet chap is he though he has a good word for all.





## THE HERALD, 1927



JAMES O. WISE  
Vinita, Okla.

Entered Sept., 1926

DeMolay Secretary

Private

*This chap has been with us only the short space of a year. However, we are very glad that he came when he did, for it increases our per cent that will make good when they get out of Western. How do we know? It's not an art to judge a man's future when his present life is as much a success as Orr's.*

ROY C. WOLCHANSKY, A Δ  
McGehee, Ark.

Entered Sept., 1921

Honor Roll, 1923

2nd Basketball, 1924-25

Rinkydink Football, 1923

1st Football, 1926

Co. Basketball, 1927

Color Sergeant, 1925-26

1st Lieut. Quartermaster, 1926-27

Shrapnel Staff, 1924-25-26

Recall Staff, 1926-27

Dramatic Club, 1926-27

Dance Committee, 1926-27

Sergeant-at-Arms, 1926-27

*There has been a great number of fellows come to Western from "Arkansas" but there has been only one "Wol". When we glance over the record he has made we cannot help but like him. "Wol" has taken care of the Q. M. this year and has done so with a great deal of business-like form. "Wol" latest venture has been in the Dramatic Club and he shows a great deal of talent for an actor. He intends to attend school in the South.*

JULIAN B. SORENCY, Δ Φ Ω  
Springfield, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1925

Honor Roll, 1926

2nd Football, 1926

Co. Track Team, 1926

Co. Baseball, 1926

Co. Basketball, 1926-27

Shrapnel Staff, 1926-27

Glee Club, 1926-27

Dramatic Club, 1927

*Sorency entered Western two years ago as a very timid plebe, but after getting around and seeing the "Boys" he rapidly developed into a first-class "Westerner". His biggest worry around Western is "Kate". During his stay here he has been active in all forms of Western life.*





EMILIO J. TORRES, Φ A Ω, A Δ

*Durango Dgo., Mexico*

Entered Sept., 1923

Football, 1924-25-26; Capt., 26

Track Team, 1924-25-26-27; Capt., '27

Baseball, 1926

Co. Basketball, 1925-26-27

Handball Team, 1926

Bowling Champion, 1924

Rifle Team, 1924

Sergeant, 1925-26

Lieutenant, 1926-27

Dramatic Club, 1927

Old "Nig," the boy from the land of Revolutions, is not one of the Rebels but one of Western's best "Soldiers". He has taken part in every activity in the old school, and has done them with a true Western spirit. We hope when he is way down in that "Wild" country that he will not forget his pals who can boast of having a real true friend in Torres. We know he will succeed in business life as well as he has here.

VANTILE PLATT, Δ Σ, A Δ

*St. Louis, Mo.*

Entered Sept., 1924

2nd Football, 1925

1st Football, 1926

Co. Basketball, 1926

Co. Track Team, 1926

Corporal, 1926

Sergeant, 1926-27

Glee Club, 1925-26-27

Shrapnel Staff, 1925-26

Dramatic Club, 1927

Coming from a military family, Van has been greatly helped in his stay at Western. He has proved himself to be a good sport and has won a spot in the hearts of many cadets because of his personality. Next year we will find Van at the Missouri School of Mines at Rolla, Missouri. Good luck, Ole Man.

OLIVER F. SCHROEDER

*Normandy, Mo.*

Entered Sept., 1924

Honor Roll, 1925-26-27

Rinkydink Football, 1924

2nd Football, 1926

Co. Track Team, 1926

Orchestra, 1924-25-26-27

Olie, a native of Ole Missou, is to end his third year at Western—three years of profit and accomplishment. Schroeder has not allowed his diminutive stature to retard him. He has, by dint of action, done well whatever he has attempted.



#### VERNON W. SHOOP

Decatur, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925  
Rinkydinks, 1925-26  
Corporal, 1926-27

Band, 1925-26-27  
Orchestra, 1926-27  
Jazz Orchestra, 1926-27

Shoop—the small corporal with the Big horn. Verily, verily, when one says Big, he means Big. But to this definition of our musician must be added—a good loyal friend. In the three years spent with us, he has repeatedly demonstrated that he was a friend tried and true.

#### ADOLPH J. VEDDER II

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Band, 1923-26-27

Glee Club, 1926-27  
Jazz Orchestra, 1926-27

DeMolay

One year and twelve months ago a proud father sent forth to Western a new cadet, small of stature and dedicated to the proposition that this cadet would graduate in '27. We are now met in this year of 1927, the year of our departure from this grand old school. It takes from our midst a very brilliant and competent musician. It can well be said that Vedder has been the mainstay of our musical organizations—with emphasis to the syncopation of his "sax" in the jazz orchestra.

#### LEON N. WASHBURN

Bloomington, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Corporal, 1926-27  
Glee Club, 1926-27

Orchestra 1923 to 1927  
Band, 1923 to 1927  
Dramatic Club, 1925-26-27

Jazz Orchestra, 1923 to 1927

Old "Jackie" is the boy who puts the music in Western. If it were not for Jack we would not have our music at the Saturday evening shows. It will be kind of hard to get along without him, as Western's Band, Orchestra and Jazz Orchestra will lose one of their most reliable men. He will probably play with Sousa or Paul Whiteman.





## THE REGATT 1927



MELVIN L. ABRAMS

Chicago, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1926

Private

Swimming Team

*Here is the fellow whom you may have noticed asking questions. This is his hobby; not, however a failing in any sense of the word. He forms a good example of the facts that the "Holdup City" turns out some good swimmers, and that it does not take a man three or four years to make good at Western.*

WILLIAM CLARK BARNARD, JR.

Seneca, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1922

Corporal, 1924-25

Sergeant, 1926

Lieutenant, 1926-27

Camp Custer, 1925

Trap Club

Rifle Team

*"Clark" came to us at rather an early age, but proved himself above the follies of youth and won his way into the confidence of the "Powers that Be" thru sheer merit.*

*After learning the difference between "inspection arms" and "squads left," he undertook to absorb the intricacies of a Browning machine gun. At this he has become quite proficient and as "Sarge" right hand man.*

GERARD H. BARTH

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1924

Rinkydink Football, 1925

Second Football, 1926

Track Team, 1924-25-26-27

*Here is a chap whom we seldom see. He sticks to his own business (an art to be admired) and is quiet—but a good dependable worker in all undertakings. His athletic inclination chooses "track," where he makes all opponents move in the four-forty.*







## THE RECALL 1927



ORIN C. BORAH  
Champaign, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1926  
First Football

Color Guard

First Basketball  
Track Team

We can truthfully say it was a lucky day for Coach Garetson when "Red" left Champaign to give Western football a trial. To see a game without him was quite an impossibility, for we can't remember one game last fall when the team was not aided by his fight and skill. Western football will certainly miss him next year, while Illinois will welcome him. He is making marks in other athletics too,—baseball and track were easy for him. Basketball was one of his most accomplished sports. In fact, he had every requirement for a wonderful athlete. Indeed, when Western loses "Red" it loses a truly versatile man.

Strange to say, but why is it that such as he never find Western until their senior year?

ROBERT EMMET BLAKE  
Edwardsville, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1924  
Corporal, 1925-26  
Sergeant, 1926-27

National Matches, 1925    Awarded Gold Medal

Expert Rifleman  
Pistol Sharpshooter  
Rifle Team, 1925-26-27

Shooting is the hobby of this fellow. He has carried his hobby to such an extent that he shot in the National Matches at Perry in 1925, where was awarded a gold medal for excellence in score. May your shots at the obstacles of life be as effective, "Bob," old boy.

RICHARD THADDEUS DOUGHTIE  
Helena, Ark.

Entered Sept., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1925-26

Editor Shrapnel, 1925-26-27

Dramatic Club, 1925-26  
Band, 1925-26

Arkansas made a great contribution to the cause when she sent this chap here, two years ago. Since he first set foot in the front gate he has been the backbone of our "Shrapnel". Some say he resembles Lincoln. May his success be as great.





CARL C. SETZ  
St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Handball, 1924

Corporal, 1925-26  
Pistol Club, 1926

Glee Club, 1923-24

Carl is a fellow who in his four years at Western has made a great number of friends although he has been rather quiet. We can always remember Carl as a fellow who can always be called a real true friend. He intends to go to Washington U. in the Fall.

ROBERT E. RINAKER  
Modesto, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1925-26-27

Upper Ten, 1926-27  
Boxing Team, 1926

Dramatic Club, 1926-27

"Bob" is a one to whom we can take a liking. Looking at his record, we note that he is a very industrious sort of a fellow. He has always been one of the "high" men in the academic work of the school. He has his mind set on going to Carnegie Tech. We are very sure he will succeed there as he has at Western.

JOHN GIVENS, Φ A Ω  
Mt. Sterling, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1926

Color Guard

Basketball, "D" Co.

During his short stay with us, this quiet and unassuming lad from Mt. Sterling has gained for himself a good record. As a rule, first year cadets do not obtain much distinction because of certain handicaps, but "Jack" has come to the front in more than one way.

A fine fellow, enthusiastic and friend of all, we add "Handsome Jack" to our list of classmates—gone but not forgotten.



# ROBERT HARRIS ELLIOT

East St. Louis, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Second Football, 1926  
First Class Private, 1925

Corporal, 1926  
Sergeant, 1926-27  
Dramatic Club, 1926-27

## Manager Musical Organizations

*Here is a type that is rare at Western. Elliot has been with us nearly four years and has done a lot of things. When there was nothing else to do, he had a good time. He is the kind that gets a good time out of everything, and if he goes thru life the way he has thru Western, he'll crash right thru the mob and pull up across the line.*

# WILLIAM F. FRANCISCO, Δ Σ, Λ Δ

Tulsa, Okla.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Second Football, 1924-25-26  
Second Basketball, 1923-24  
Second Baseball, 1924  
First Basketball, 1924-25 (Capt.) 1926-27  
First Baseball, 1926

Golf Team, 1924-25  
Corporal, 1924  
First Sergeant, 1925-26  
Lieutenant, 1926-27  
Dramatic Club, 1927  
Glee Club, 1927

## Shrapnel Staff, 1926

*One glance at his record will tell you that Oklahoma sent us a man of whom we are proud. And at basketball—a perfect genius and fighter. Never has any team had a leader of more inspiring qualities or genuine competence than did this quintet captained by Bill.*

# CHARLES E. HIGGINS

Vandalia, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925  
First Baseball, 1926-27

First Football, 1926  
First Basketball, 1925-26-27

## Corporal

*Here is a man, who in two short years, has made a lasting impression on us. "Hig" is a worker in more ways than one, for he is out for everything requiring perseverance and pep. He instills his pep on all the teams upon which he plays. This year as well as last, he distinguished himself on the varsity basketball squad as a fast and accurate forward. He plays the game well and if he plays the game of life with equally as much pep as he has played basketball, success belongs to him.*



OWEN R. HOOVER,  $\Phi \Delta$   
Sycamore, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1926

Glee Club, 1926-27

Double Quartette, 1927

"Bob" is one of the new men at Western who has made a name for himself. He is a fellow who in the short time at W. M. A. has made a great number of friends, and is noted for having the qualities that go to make a good fellow. He is undecided as to his future education.

JOHN W. HUTCHINSON  
St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Honor Roll, 1926-27  
Private, 1923-24-25-27

Corporal, 1926  
Shrapnel Staff, 1925-26-27  
Field Music, 1923-24

If John knew how hard it was for us to write about him he would undoubtedly say, "Well, never mind." He does not like self-advertising but when you know him as we have for four short years, you will say that he has the stuff in him that will make good. How much he has meant to us, he can never know, but we wish him the best of luck wherever he may go.

CARLTON R. JANOVSKY  
Chicago, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925  
1st Football, 1926  
2nd Football, 1925  
1st Basketball, 1926-27

Track Team, 1926  
Crack Squad, 1925  
Corp., 1926-27  
Glee Club, 1926-27

Dramatic Club, 1927

Another of the boys from "Chi." Carl has been quite a star in Football and on the Basketball court. He has been one of Western's leading scorers in basketball this season. He has the ability to make a great actor and we hope to see his name in headlines on Broadway in years to come. He can also "sing". Ask anyone who roomed near him.





OLIVER O. KJAR, ΔΣ

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1925  
Co. Baseball, 1926  
Co. Track Team, 1926

Crack Squad C. Co., 1926  
Dramatic Club, 1927  
Glee Club

1st Football Team

During the holidays, he was so severely hurt that he was forced to discontinue his work on the Basketball team. Had he been able to play, our victories as well as our scores would have increased.

GEORGE LEVY

St. Louis, Mo.

Entered Sept., 1926

Private Co. C

Shrapnel Staff, 1926

"Levy", the man from the "state of mules," arrived in Alton one calm September morn. After looking around he deposited his suitcase at Western, where he decided to join the ranks and learn the thrilling art of rifle manipulation. One year of strenuous work resulted in the primary object of his sojourn here—that is, graduation. "George" expects to enter Harvard next year. Bon Voyage!

LESLIE A. LUND

Chicago, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1926  
Honor Roll, 1926  
Rinkydink Football, 1926

Shrapnel Staff, 1926-27  
Dramatic Club, 1927  
Orchestra, 1926-27

Rifle Team, 1926-27

One of the boys from "Chi". Leslie is a boy who has worked hard since his entrance in to Western, and has made himself known in all of the school's activities. Lund is a fellow who is a great aspirant for the "ring". He "sure can" take the "sleep producers," and come back for more. He intends to go in business with his "Dad". "Poor Papa".





JACOBO MARTINEZ

Victoria, Mexico

Entered Sept., 1923  
Honor Roll, 1925  
Rinkydinks, 1923-24  
1st Football, 1926

2nd Basketball, 1926  
1st Class Private, 1926  
Corporal, 1926-27  
Glee Club, 1923-24

Although Mex is not quite as big as some of the other fellows, he has made a success of himself while at Western. Though he hails from a foreign speaking country, he has never allowed this fact to put a "crimp" in his school life. On the football field Mex did more than his share—just for "Ole Western".

JOHN P. MITTENDORF

Champaign, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1926  
Honor Roll, 1926

1st Football, 1926  
Co. Basketball, 1927

To John goes the distinction of being one of Western's Stars of the Gridiron. He was one of the school's best centers in a long while, and he always had the "old fight" on the field. He has made a warm spot in the hearts of every cadet in school. John intends to be an Undertaker, may his business be—"Dead".

EVERETT C. SQUIRES, Δ Φ Ω

Springfield, Mo.

Entered Jan., 1925  
Honor Roll, 1926-27  
Track Team, 1926  
2nd Football, 1926

Co. Baseball, 1926  
Co. Crack Squad, 1926  
Corp., 1926  
Glee Club, 1926-27

Dramatic Club, 1927

Plebs arrive, and cadets may depart, but Squires will always be remembered. The friends made by him, and many they are, too, will recall his making his second team letter. When playing pool, he demonstrates that he knows the science of the game. Say boy, page, Mr. Dalrymple.





HARRY L. WILEY

Buffalo, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1925  
2nd Basketball, 1926  
2nd Basketball, 1927

Co. Track Team, 1926  
Corporal, 1926-27  
Glee Club, 1925-26

A man from a small town with big ideas. Wiley is a fellow who came to Western as Green as they make 'em, but soon jumped into this life and became as the rest of the boys. He has distinguished himself well in Basketball with the "seconds". He is also one of the high ranking Corporals of the school.

HARRY A. WRIGHT, A Δ

Tuscola, Ill.

Entered Sept., 1923  
Honor Roll, 1925-26-27

Corp., 1926  
Serg., 1926-27

Shrapnel Staff, 1923-24

A level headed fellow who is always ready to help anyone in need. Harry is a fellow who is inclined to be very studious, and has always made good in his studies, and has also made good in the Military Department. He intends to go to Carnegie Tech. where he will take up Electrical Engineering.

EDWARD H. NOBLE

Stuttgart, Ark.

Entered Sept., 1926

Co. Basketball, 1927

Crack Squad, 1927

This boy comes from the land of the well known "swamps", the land where they send them "North" to become "men". "Ed" is one of Western's new men who is a fellow with a great deal of spirit and the old fight. He is a fellow who has worked hard since he landed on the campus at Western.



## *The Class of '27*

From far beyond the seven seas  
Thy sons have gathered here  
To seek the wisdom you impart  
And garner of thy cheer,  
For thy name is a friendly light  
For all who know revere.

For four short years we have received  
All that you have to give—  
The fruits of thy hard-earned fame  
Have taught us how to live  
And led us on with high resolve  
Toward things contemplative.

Now that the time for parting comes  
We'll not forget thy name,  
But go forth to the waiting world  
To glory in thy fame;  
It shall be spread through hill and dale  
With brightly burning flame.

Four times the trees have leaved;  
The bees have left the hive;  
Four times the flowers have bloomed  
And raised their heads to heaven;  
Four years we've stayed, but go in June,  
The Class of '27.







### *Junior College Department*

ALBRECHT, WILLIAM	· · ·	Missouri
BURNSTINE, HERMAN E.	· ·	Illinois
CAHOON, LELAND DUPRE	· ·	Ohio
DALRYMPLE, JOHN LEWIS	· ·	Missouri
GOLDSTEIN, ELWOOD	· · ·	Illinois
HAIGHT, SAMUEL JOHN, JR.	· ·	Illinois
MAGEE, GRAY MILBURN	· ·	Missouri





*The Class of 1928*

## THE JUNIORS

## OFFICERS

President	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	WATSON
Vice-President	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	PfINGSTEN, C.
Secretary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	DeMint
Treasurer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	BOYCE
Sergeant-at-Arms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	LANE

THE Junior Class this year was unique in that it introduced the idea of greater class activity, and they displayed to the school that they could lead in those particular activities. In every branch of school activities, the Juniors have been well represented by such men as: Watson, Brash Bishop, Kerckhoff, D., Deimling, Mantz, and Renfrow.

On the social side of the ledger we find the Junior Class dance committee has been responsible for the charming decorations at Western's dances.

The Class of 1927 wishes you all the success in the world for the future years.



## The Class of 1928

ABT, PAUL W. S.	Illinois	KORACH, IRVING	Illinois
BATES, FREEMAN	Missouri	LANE, ALFRED NAUGHTON	Missouri
BATTNERMAN, KARL HENRY	Illinois	LOPICCOLO, VINCENT ANTONIO	Missouri
BORAH, DONALD G.	Illinois	MCCRAY, ALLAN	Illinois
BOYCE, ROBERT PAUL	Texas	MCCRORY, MAX GOSE	Illinois
BRASH, GABRIEL MYRON	Illinois	MANDEL, MORDECAI O.	Illinois
BRENNER, GEORGE HERBERT	Arkansas	MANTZ, HARRY E.	Missouri
BURDSALL, JACK WESNER	Oklahoma	MEGOWEN, CLAUDE	Illinois
CARTER, JESSE MCILVAINE	Ohio	MINDL, MILTON PAUL HENRY	Missouri
DAVENPORT, ROGER M.	Illinois	MORETSKY, BERNARD I.	Arkansas
DEIMLING, NEIL	Illinois	NEEDLES, DAVID MARTIN	Kansas
DEMINT, THOMAS, W.	Illinois	OGLESBY, IRA D., III	Arkansas
FERRIS, WALTER EUGENE, JR.	Missouri	OVERSTREET, JAMES SLIFER	Missouri
DEWEY, WILLIAM HOWARD	Illinois	PETERSEN, RAYMOND OLIVER	Missouri
DREVER, THOMAS MAXWELL	Illinois	PFINGSTEN, CHARLES ROBERT	Illinois
DRIEMEYER, C. RAYMOND	Missouri	POLING, EDWARD CHARLES	West Virginia
DUFFIN, RICHARD JAMES	Illinois	RANNENBERG, ORLANDO	Arkansas
EWING, GEORGE PRICE	Arkansas	RENFROW, LEO W.	Illinois
FISHER, LEO ALEXANDER	Missouri	REPLINGER, FREDERICK CHARLES	Missouri
FRANK, MEYER	Missouri	RHEA, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, JR.	Missouri
FRAYSER, WILLIAM BENTLEY	Oklahoma	ROGINSON, RICHARD LINCOLN	New York
FREEDMAN, LEON	Illinois	ROHLPING, MILTON A. W.	Illinois
GAINES, CHARLES H.	Oklahoma	SADA, CAMILO	Mexico
GETZELMAN, BENJAMIN CHAPPELL	Illinois	SCOTT, WILMOT HARRY	Missouri
GREENSPON, JOSEPH	Missouri	SEYMOUR, JOE MITCHELL	Oklahoma
GUNNING, GORDON L.	Illinois	SLATER, WHEDON	Illinois
HAMILTON, JACK	Ohio	SOELL, JOHN BLOCK	Missouri
HARRIS, JOSEPH WILLIAM	Michigan	SPENCER, THOMAS R.	Missouri
HAYWARD, EDGAR M. A.	Missouri	STIVERS, JOSEPH WILEY	Missouri
HUTCHISON, ALLEN EGBERT	Illinois	SUMMERS, LOUIS DANIEL	Illinois
IGO, REX V.	Missouri	TINSLEY, CLAUDE HUSTON, JR.	Missouri
JOYNT, ANTHONY WAYNE	Missouri	TUTHILL, JOHN BURKE	Oklahoma
KANCHUK, LOUIS ELLIOTT	Missouri	VELASCO, JOSE	Mexico
KELLOGG, RICHARD	Missouri	WADE, WILLIAM HENRY	Montana
KELLOGG, ROBERT R.	Missouri	WATSON, DAVID EDMUND	Washington
KERCKHOFF, DANIEL	Missouri	WHITE, IRA HILL	Missouri
KESSLER, WALTER W.	Missouri	WILLIAMS, PATRICK	Texas
KESSLER, HERBERT E.	Missouri	WINTER, WILLIAM A.	Illinois
KITTINGER, CLARENCE RUSSELL	Illinois	WOOD, JOE BILL	Missouri





## *The Class of 1929*

### THE SOPHOMORES

#### OFFICERS

President	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	ALEX KERCKHOFF
Vice-President	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	DAVID PFINGSTEN
Secretary-Treasurer	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	ABOTT SHERWOOD
Sergeant-at-Arms	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	JOSEPH MURPHY

THE Sophomores are accomplishing very well indeed the "task" they have to do. Since their year of being Freshmen has long been over, they are planning what they will do in the next two years. Although this class was not organized until the latter part of February, it has progressed very rapidly in all activities, especially athletics.



## The Class of 1929

ABELSON, MORTON SOLOMON	Illinois	KERCKHOFF, ALEXANDER	Missouri
ALLAN, EDWARD BRUCE	Iowa	KNIGHT, CHARLES EDWARD	Virginia
ANDERSON, WILLIAM McREE	Arkansas	KUNITZ, PAUL WALD	Michigan
ANDROS, DEMETRIOS NICHOLAS	Illinois	LITTLE, WILLIAM	Illinois
BAILEY, RUSSELL GRAHAM	Illinois	LOWES, EDWARD PEVERALL	Illinois
BENTLEY, JAMES PHILLIPP	Missouri	McKNIGHT, JOHN WILLIAM	Kentucky
BISHOP, EUGENE G.	Missouri	MARKS, BERNARD MILTON	Illinois
BLOCH, HOWARD H.	Illinois	MARTINEZ, ERNESTO	Mexico
BORDEN, PHILIP	Illinois	MAULE, ROBERT W.	Illinois
BURNSTINE, RALPH HAROLD	Missouri	MOODY, DALE MURLIN	Oklahoma
BUTTERWORTH, CHRISTY CLAIR	Texas	MUNDT, FRANKEL SEELIG	Arkansas
CHALLIS, JAMES McHUGH, JR.	New York	MURPHY, JOE EDWARD	Missouri
CLUTTON, WADE WALDEN	Illinois	NIEMANN, HERBERT RALPH, JR.	Illinois
COLE, TRUMAN K.	Illinois	OAKLEY, THOMAS CRAWFORD	Illinois
DAVIS, CLYDE WILLIAM	Missouri	PALMISANO, LAWRENCE CHARLES	Missouri
DAVIS, NORMAN PHILIP	Illinois	PFÄHLER, FRED SAMUEL	Illinois
DeLARGY, CHARLES GIBSON	Missouri	PINGSTEN, DONALD	Illinois
DeLARGY, JOHN JOSEPH	Missouri	POLLARD, RICHARD DeWITT	Illinois
DEMARTINO, JOSEPH	Missouri	POWELL, LEWIS SMITH, JR.	Arkansas
DOBYNE, JAMES BELL, JR.	Missouri	RAYON, DAGOBERTO	Cuba
EDWARDS, HARRY GRISWOLD, JR.	Illinois	ROESCH, HERMAN WM.	Missouri
ERICSON, EDWARD	Illinois	ROSENFELD, STANLEY EUGENE	Missouri
EWING, WILLIAM L., JR.	Indiana	ROSS, KENNETH, JOHN	Kansas
FLEISHMAN, LEONARD S.	Illinois	SADA, SALVADOR	Mexico
FOWLER, ALBERT MEINTS	Illinois	SCELLENBERG, EDWARD ALFRED	Missouri
FRANK, MAURICE	Illinois	SCHWARTZ, HAROLD	Illinois
GARRETSON, CHARLES B.	Louisiana	SCHAUB, HARVEY H.	Missouri
GILLETTE, ROBERT McELVAIN	California	SHERWOOD, ABBOTT	Illinois
GORDON, CHARLES THOMAS	Arkansas	STOCK, FREDERICK	Missouri
GRAHAM, GEORGE DOYLE	Arkansas	STOLTZ, WILLIAM F.	Missouri
GREGORY, FRANK LORNE	Arkansas	TEMPLETON, RICHARD A.	Missouri
GROSSMAN, SIDNEY ORVILLE	Illinois	THOMPSON, HAYDN NEAL	Indiana
HANDLSMAN, MILTON WILLIAM	Illinois	TRIGG, JAMES RICHARD	Missouri
HARGRAVES, JAMES FITZHUGH	Arkansas	URQUIDI, JOSE MARIA DE	Mexico
HARMS, NORBERT LANGE	Missouri	VOSS, RICHARD E.	Illinois
HARRINGTON, DRURY LITTERAL	Missouri	WEISS, JOSEPH RICHARD	Ohio
HECHT, JACK FRANKLIN	Illinois	WENOM, FREEMAN STERLING	Missouri
HERSCHEL, ROBERT JAMES	Illinois	WILLIAMS, JOHN MORTON	Missouri
HIRSCHFELD, JEROME LAWRENCE	Illinois	YOULE, JOHN WILLIAM	Missouri
HODGES, HERBERT NELSON	Illinois	ZIRWAS, EMIL FRED	Illinois
HOULLE, DAVID EDMOND	Missouri		



## *The Class of 1930*

### THE FRESHMEN

THESE are the merry freshmen from whom we are expecting a great deal in 1930. The freshmen may have been as "green as grass" when they first came to Western, but they soon got over that.

All these men are looking forward to the day when they will be dignified Seniors, and will take their places among the leaders of the school.





## *The Class of 1930*

ADELMAN, JACK	Illinois	JARRETT, ELEMER MERLE	Oklahoma
ALBRECHT, EDGAR SAMUEL	Missouri	KARRAKER, DAVID F.	Missouri
ARSHT, RAYMOND IRVING	Illinois	KATZ, SIDNEY HAROLD	Illinois
BARRY, ARTHUR	Illinois	KEARBEBY, JOHN P.	Michigan
BARSTOW, DANIEL GALE	Missouri	LATIMORE, FRANKLYN H.	Missouri
BECKMANN, HARRY LEROY	Missouri	LISCHKO, JOSEPH	Missouri
BOEFFLE, GEORGE JOHN	Missouri	McMACKIN, CHARLES LINCOLN	Illinois
BRUNO, JOSEPH LORENZO	Illinois	MAHAN, THOMAS KENT	Arkansas
CAMPBELL, HOMER CLAYTON	Illinois	MILLER, SIDNEY FARRELL	Missouri
CASSETT, LOUIS K.	Missouri	POE, WILLIAM H.	Missouri
CLARK, CLINTON LEWIS	Missouri	PRICE, SEYMOUR	Illinois
COE, RICHARD EDWARD	Missouri	PRUSS, JEAN JOSEPH	Missouri
COBURN, TOM P.	Illinois	REGAN, JAMES GORMAN	Illinois
COMINS, WALDO HUNTER, JR.	Missouri	ROCHA, ATANASIO	Mexico
COOKSEY, HINKLE ANDREW	Illinois	ROS, ADOLFO	Cuba
COOPER, ARTHUR M., JR.	Missouri	ROSS, CHARLES FOREST	Kansas
DRAPER, CHARLES M.	Illinois	ROSS, HOWARD CLARK	Illinois
ECKARDT, WALTER LEBRECHT	Missouri	SMILEY, ROBERT A.	Missouri
ERICSON, HARRY WOODSWORTH	Illinois	STILINOVICH, NICK	Missouri
FERNANDEZ, SERGIO	Mexico	STOCK, JOHN F.	Missouri
GREENSTONE, HERBERT STANLEY	Missouri	STOLTZ, JOHN E.	Missouri
HAMLIN, FRANKLIN CHURCH	Illinois	STUMPF, CARL JOHN WILLIAM	Missouri
HANSEN, WILLIAM STARK	Illinois	SWIRS, AARON	Illinois
HAYN, LLOYD FRANKLIN	Illinois	ULEN, WALTER GENE	Missouri
HESLEY, CHARLES ALLEN	Illinois	WALCHER, EDWIN ALFRED	Missouri
HEYDT, JOHN BERNARD	Missouri	WARREN, JOEL FRANKLIN	Missouri
HIGHTOWER, JAMES VICTOR	Missouri	WELLS, HARRY GEORGE	Missouri
JAMES, WADE	Oklahoma		





## *The Grammar School*

THERE may be some small boys enrolled in the Grammar School, but believe me, they sure are making the Freshmen and older cadets step some to keep ahead of them. These fellows are making some older cadets take a back seat in regard to scholarship and athletics.

### *Grammar School*

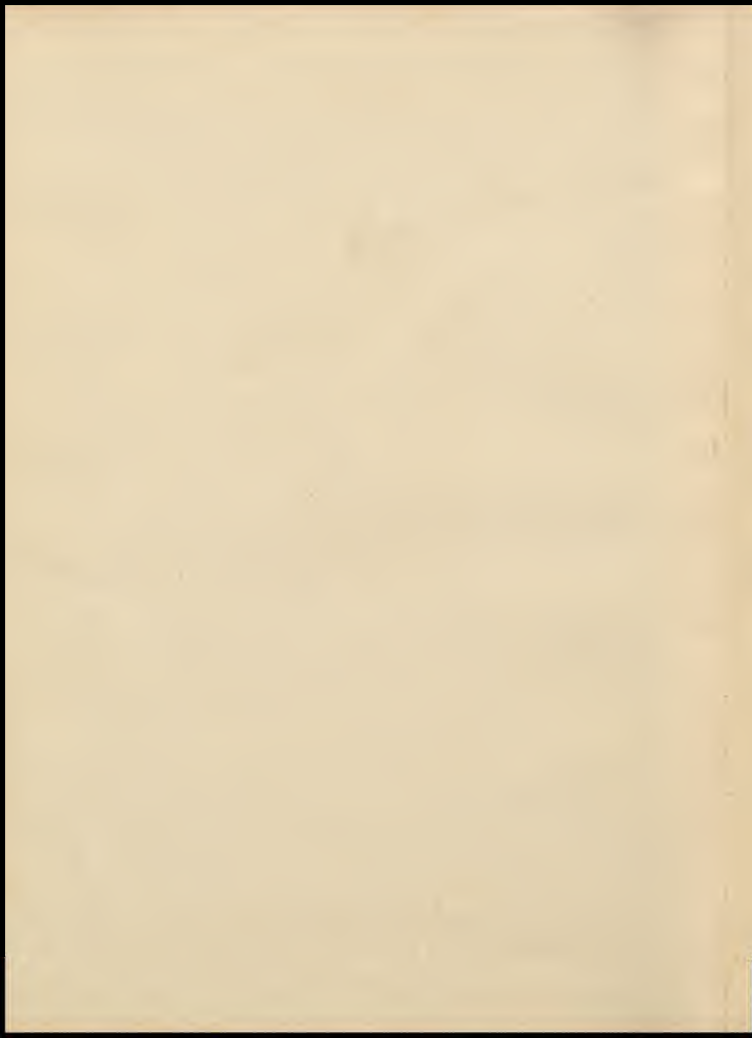
BLOCK, CARL	Illinois
BOSCH, EDWARD THOMAS, JR.	Missouri
SHAEFFER, LOUIS E.	Illinois
STEPHENS, JOHN FREDERICK	Indiana
BARKER, LAWRENCE F.	Missouri
BEAR, RICHARD	Illinois
BORDEN, CHARLES	Illinois
CARSON, LESTER CLYDE	Missouri
CORNELIUS, WILLIAM E.	Missouri
COSTA, ANTONIO	Missouri
FORD, WILEY	Illinois
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GOLDMAN, BERNARD WOLF	Missouri
GREENBAUM, BERNARD	Michigan
LAURENCE, EARL ROBERT	Illinois
LESTER, CHARLES	Arkansas
MARTINEZ, MARIO	Mexico
MILLER, H. MARING	Missouri
SCHNEITHORST, ARTHUR BARNARD	Missouri
SOELL, HARRY P.	Missouri
SOSNA, SIDNEY	Missouri
VITALE, TONY	Missouri







CAPTAIN L. S. GEROW





FIVE HUNDRED 1927

## *Activities--Spring 1926*

*Government Inspection*

*An Honor School*

*Baseball*

*Track*

*The Wearers of the "W"—1925-26*





Changing guard is one of the pet Spring-time hobbies. "Corporal of the Guard, Post number one," is one of the familiar cries that fills the May day air.



A shelter-half, a tent pin, and you are essential for making a scene like this. Yet when one considers the rapidity with which the Corps pitches the tents, he soon realizes that we are living in an advanced age.





## *The Honor School*

**J**UST what does the designation "Honor School" mean? This is a question which, no doubt, many would like to have answered. This designation together with its significance means much to the cadet at W. M. A.

All of those military academies in which the government has established units of the Reserve Officers Training Corps are entitled to enter into a competition, the purpose of which is to determine the best academies in the United States. It is necessary to successfully pass what is known as a corps area inspection before entering into the competition proper. In the Spring of each year, a group of army officers from the National Headquarters in Washington, D. C., make a tour of the United States, inspecting those schools which have been recommended by the corps area inspectors. These men, after returning to Washington, prepare a list of what is called honor schools. This list must not exceed thirty per cent of all the R. O. T. C. units established in military academies. It is composed of those and only those schools which have made the highest grades in the final inspection.

This designation concerns only the military departments of an institution. To win this is indeed a great honor. As an award to those academies which have made this list, the government allows each school to send their honor graduate to the United States Military Academy at West Point without examination.

Western is confident that it shall maintain its last year's high rating, as a result of this year's inspection. The Western Military ideals are capable of anything. They are made possible only by the interest of the officers and the cooperation of the corps.





Capt. Holmes, Magre, Torres, Murphy, Smiley, Poot, Bates, Stine, Chappell, Higgins, Lampton.

## *Baseball*

### THE SEASON OF 1926.

*B*ASEBALL has always been one of the most popular Spring sports found at Western. True to traditions, this team of 1926 displayed some very good form. During the season, the team went through ten games and emerged winner in six of them. But the interesting feature of the defeats was manifested in the closeness of the scores. A glance at the Chaminade and the Christian Brothers College games will verify the statement.





## *Baseball*

### THE SEASON OF 1926

On April the fourteenth, our team, backed by a few faithfuls who braved the chilly blasts, defeated McKendree College 5-0. Higgins was the star.

A week later our 7-4 defeat at the hands of McBride High made us realize that the season had begun. Anderson and Murphy starred.

Our defeat of 8-4 by St. Louis University High was the second game lost in the Prep League. Despite the cold day and the high wind the game proved to be exciting.

Dame Fortune, April 28th, again smiled upon us and allowed a 12-2 victory for us over Country Day School. Chapell's pitching proved the feature of the day.

After our first Prep League victory, our team subdued Chaminade College to the score of 11 to 5. This game put Western into tie for second place.

May the fifth saw our close victory over the Christian Brothers College nine. The 11-10 score indicates the unsteadiness of the game.

Our second defeat at the hands of St. Louis University High was another close contest. Higgins hurled the 8-7 game.

Little opposition on the part of Country Day School gave us our 17-4 over the Codasco. It was a game of generous donations gracefully filled with plenty of base stealing on the part of the Cadets.

May the 19th marked the crisis in our baseball career when Chaminade gave us a 14-13 defeat, which completely eliminated us from the pennant competition.

Our final game, an 8-0 victory over Christian Brothers College, brought the season to an end. By this defeat, C. B. C. lost her second place to McBride. Western ranked fourth in the Prep League standing.

To Captain Holmes, the coach, goes much credit for the work of the team. Considering the fact that he had few letter men return and that the bulk of the squad was raw material, one is proud of the fourth place ranking.





## THE RECALL 1927



Top Row—Barth Squires, Brazilton, Lampton, Julier, Franz, Janowsky, Toncs  
Bottom Row—Kcal, Baker, Velasco, Hughes, Poos, Valentine, Birchfield.

### Track Records

100-Yard Dash—Record, :10. Made by R. T. Hasgall, St. Louis, 1911, at Central Y. M. C. A., and L. C. Merchant, St. Joe, Mich., 1917, at Soldan Dual.

220-Yard Dash—Record, :22 2-5. Made by L. C. Merchant, St. Joe, Mich., 1917, at Webster Groves Dual.

440-Yard Run—Record, 53 1-5. Made by H. R. Berlin, Chicago, 1915, at County Meet.

880-Yard Run—Record, 2:06. Made by M. Levin, New Castle, 1919, Soldan Dual.

One-Mile Run—Record, 4:41. Made by C. Robertson, Carkwoell, 1913, at Alton-Shurtleff-W. M. A.

120-Yard Low Hurdle—Record, :13 1-5. Made by W. Butler, Springfield, 1918, at McKendree Dual.

220-Yard Low Hurdle—Record, :27 7-10. Made by E. Watkins, 1925, at Mississippi Valley Meet at Washington University.

Running High Jump—Record, 5 feet 9½ inches. Made by R. Poos, St. Louis, Mo., 1922, at Alton Dual.

Running Broad Jump—Record, 21 feet 11½ inches. Made by R. Poos, St. Louis, 1926, at Taylor Field.

Pole Vault—Record, 11 feet. Made by J. Y. Waugh, Eskridge, Kan., 1916, at County Meet.

Discus Throw—Record, 111 feet 2 inches. Made by E. K. Eyermann, St. Louis, 1910, at Interscholastic Meet.

12-Pound Shot—Record, 43 feet 4 inches. Made by E. K. Eyermann, St. Louis, 1916, at County Meet.

Javelin Throw—Record, 150 feet 4 inches. Made by W. T. Shiffer, East St. Louis, 1923, at Principia-McKendree, Shurtleff-Western Meet.







## *Track Season 1926*

### PRINCIPIA-WESTERN MEET

THE Season of 1926 was indeed spectacular. By this, one might say that this singularness came not from the number of Meets participated in, nor the number of "Firsts" won, but from the records broken.

Our first dual meet with Principia, held at Taylor Field, netted our opponents a score of 69 points to our 53. In all Principia captured nine first places to our five.

To Robert Poos, the 1926 Captain, goes the honor of winning the most points. Not content with winning 11 points, he broke the old record of 20 feet 11 inches by a leap of 21 feet 11.2 inches. In the high jump, he crossed the bar at 5 feet 10 inches.

Lampton and Torres ranked first and second in the Shot-Put, as well as Baker who hurled the Javelin 123 feet 2 inches. In the Discus Throw, Torres gained first while Lampton made a close second.

Other members of the team acquitting themselves with honor were Barth, Keal, Julier, Janovsky, Valentine, and Birchfield.

### THE PREPARATORY LEAGUE MEET

Though Western ranked third with 29 points, Country Day, first, 41, and St. Louis University High, second with 40, our team demonstrated its ability to break a record in the Broad Jump. Poos, by his 20 feet 8 inches, succeeded in gaining a first. Julier in the Javelin, Torres in the Discus, and Valentine in the 120-Yard Hurdles made first places. Velasco, Hughes, and Birchfield were also point winners.

Much credit for the gains of the season go to Major Garetson who coached the Team of 1926.





## The Wearers of the "W"

AWARDED COMMENCEMENT WEEK 1926

AT the close of the Examination Period, June 6, 1926, the Corps assembled in the Study Hall to witness the presentation of letters, medals, and certificates to the men who had so well defended the Western title during the year 1925-26. Major Garretson, Captain Holmes, and Captain Thompson made brief surveys of the various activities and presented letters and medals to the following:

### Football

ORVIL HILL  
PRESTON LAMPTON  
PAUL ABRAHAM  
FRANK VIVIANO  
PHILIP G. McCORMICK  
JOE E. MURPHY  
MURRAY STINE  
ALBERT L. FRAZIER  
ROBERT E. McDONALD  
GEORGE SMITH  
LOUIS BEHRENS  
MILTON ROHLFING  
TOM MURPHY (Captain)  
C. D. MATTHEWS  
EMILIO TORRES  
GRAY MAGEE

### Basketball

GRAY MAGEE (Captain)  
PAUL ABRAHAM  
CHAS. HIGGINS  
WILLIAM FRANCISCO  
PHILIP G. McCORMICK  
NEIL DEIMLING  
PRESTON LAMPTON  
JOSE VELASCO

### Swimming

HARRY MANTZ  
MORRIS JACOBS  
THOMAS SPENCER  
ROGER JOHANSEN  
WM. RHEA

### Baseball

PRESTON LAMPTON (Captain)  
CHARLES HIGGINS  
CHARLES CHAPPELL  
JOE MURPHY  
GRAY MAGEE  
ROBERT A. SMILEY  
FREEMAN BATES  
WILLIAM FRANCISCO  
ROBERT POOS  
MURRAY STINE  
MILTON ROHLFING  
EMILIO TORRES

### Track

RALPH VALENTINE  
EMILIO TORRES  
PRESTON LAMPTON  
ROBERT POOS (Captain)  
HENRY BAKER  
HENRI JULIER  
DONALD BIRCHFIELD

### Tennis

WILLIAM BEIL (Championship)  
SCHUSTER MEEK  
ALVIN COHEN  
BRUCE DREVER  
THOMAS DREVER  
ROBERT SMILEY

### Hand Ball

SCHUSTER MEEK  
RICHARD TEMPLETON

### Boxing

TONY VITALE . . . . . 85  
CHARLES BORDEN . . . . . 93  
HARRY ERICSON . . . . . 100  
RODMAN CLOSE . . . . . 108  
GEORGE H. BRENNER . . . . . 115  
RICHARD POLLARD . . . . . 123

DAN KERCKHOFF . . . . . 133  
FRANK VIVIANO . . . . . 145  
MAX HUGHES . . . . . 145  
ALFRED N. LANE . . . . . 158  
RONALD VIEGIRD . . . . . 175  
PRESTON LAMPTON . . . . . Heavyweight





## *Commencement Events--Spring 1926*

*Class of 1926 Play—Captain Applejack*

*The Commencement Program*

*The Honor Men of 1926*









## *The Honor Men of 1926*

### *Valedictorian*

GRAY MILBURN MAGEE

Home: St. Louis, Mo.

Entered: September, 1922

Upper Ten—1922-23-24-25-26

Corporal 1923; Sergeant 1924; Major 1925-26

Recall Staff 1926

1st Football 1925-6. "Alli Prep End"

2nd Basketball 1923-4

1st Basketball 1924-5

Basketball Captain 1926

President of the Class of 1926

Delta Phi Omega

Honor Graduate chosen by the War Department

Present Location: Junior College Department of the Western Military Academy, Alton, Ills.

Future Plans: Four years at West Point.

To most of us, Gray Magee has become one of the familiar names as well as the familiar faces known around Western. Last year after Western had been designated as "An Honor School," we learned that Gray was appointed to West Point, and that he would spend one more year with us before he left for his four year's career at the Point. To him goes our best wishes as well as our admiration, for he has been an able student, a capable officer, and a sincere friend.

### *Salutatorian*

WILLIAM ALBERT ALBRECHT

Home: St. Louis, Mo.

Entered: September, 1922

Upper Ten—1922-23-24-25-26

Corporal 1924-5; Captain 1925-6

Recall Staff 1926

Shrapnel Staff 1924-5

Present Location: Junior College Department of the Western Military Academy, Alton, Ills.

Future Plans: W. E. Beckmann, Bakers and Confectioners Supply Company.

Fortune smiled not only upon the instructors but also upon the Corps and the Military Department when Albrecht and Magee returned to Western. And it would not be amiss to say that we are glad to have them back with us? Their efforts in the Government Inspection of 1926 will no doubt be repeated in the coming Spring. 'Tis safe to wager that we will be again "An Honor School".





MAJOR F. N. HENDERSON

*F. N. Henderson*







## *Organizations--1926-27*

*The Recall Staff of 1927*

*The Shrapnel Staff*

*The Orchestra*

*The Glee Club*

*The Trapshooting Club*

*The Hop Club*





## *The Recall*

*"Yet will linger in the hearts of all  
A memory of the Seniors—gone and free.  
Each class will then RECALL  
Its deeds for you and me."*

The Class of 1923	-	-	-	EDITOR FAY CHEW, Fort Worth, Texas
The Class of 1924	-	-	-	EDITOR NORMAN VOGEL, St. Louis, Mo.
The Class of 1925	-	-	-	EDITOR PINCKNEY HARRAL, St. Louis, Mo.
The Class of 1926	-	-	-	EDITOR ALBERT A. SAMES, Texarkana, Texas

### REPRESENTING THE CLASS OF 1927

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Faculty Adviser	-	-	-	-	CAPT. P. M. LEURIG





## The RECALL '27





Top Row—Butterworth, Hutchinson, Harms, Heischel, Batterman, Lund, Limke, Watson, DeMint, Brenner, Pollard, Schwartz, Voss.  
Bottom Row—Block, Padres, Grossman, Doughtie, Marks, Pfingsten, C. Cook.

## The Shrapnel

THE VOICE OF W. M. A.

NO doubt this has been a banner year for Shrapnel publications. Never before has so much interest been shown in literary activity. The fruit of this interest lies in originality as well as the diversity of the various issues. The make-up of these issues requires efficient staffs composed of students who are willing to devote a great share of their time to advancement of such publications. To the capable Staff of 1926-27 goes much credit as well as to Mrs. Henderson, the faculty supervisor.

## THE STAFF

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News Editor	-	-	-	-	-	B. M. MARKS, '29
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Social Editor	-	-	-	-	-	G. H. BRENNER, '28
Alumni Editor	-	-	-	-	-	C. R. PFINGSTEN, '28
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						K. H. BATTERMAN, '29
						C. C. BUTTERWORTH, '29
						R. E. VOSS, '29
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						L. A. LUND, '28
						R. A. SMILEY, '29

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Top Row—Capt. Small, Little, Kerckhoff, Cahoon, Wolchansky, Thomas, Shoop.  
Bottom Row—Handelman, Schroeder, Moseraky, Washburn, Lund, Libeau, Kellogg, Vitale.

## *The Orchestra*

THE Orchestra is another leader among the organizations of the school in "school spirit". It is "Tourjours Pret" for anything to help make school life more interesting. Its music at the various cadet stunts, as well as when it makes a formal appearance, is always an added feature. Under the direction of Captain Small much has been accomplished this year.

Following is the personnel:

**Violins:**

HANDELSMAN  
LITTLE  
SCHROEDER  
WENON  
LUND  
KELLOGG

**Clarinets:**

LIBEAU  
WHITE

**Flute:**

KERCKHOFF, A.

**Cornet:**

KELLOGG, D.

**French Horn:**

THOMAS, D.

**Trombone:**

CAHOON

**Tuba:**

SHOOP

**Drums:**

BORDEN, P.

**Piano:**

WASHBURN





Top Row—Stock, F., Sherwood, Lane, Needles, Houille, Smiley,  
Middle Row—Capt. Small, Vedder, Roginson, Kanchuk, Hoover, Janovsky, Pfingsten, C., Platt, Davenport, Washburn.  
Bottom Row—DeMint, Kearby, Soell, J., Marks, Moretsky, Rhea, Kessler.

## *The Glee Club*

THE Glee Club is one of the most popular musical organizations at Western. Rehearsals are held on Tuesday and Friday nights. Popular as well as College songs make up the repertoire of this organization. Under the direction of Captain Small, the Glee Club has given several enjoyable programs.

Director . . . . . CAPTAIN SMALL

*First Tenors*

FRANCIS  
HOULLE  
VEDDER  
RHEA  
STEVENS  
NEEDLES

*First Bass*

DEIMLING  
JANOVSKY  
KANCHUK  
GUNNING  
SMILEY  
PFINGSTEN, C.  
SOELL, J.

*Second Tenors*

DAVENPORT  
KEARBY  
PLATT  
SHERWOOD  
KESLER, W.  
STOCK, F.  
CHALLIS

*Second Bass*

DEMINT  
HOOVER  
LANE  
ROGINSON  
MARKS  
SORENCY





Top Row—Carson, Boyce, Fischer, Capt. Moore, Nolte, Huckins, Ewing.  
Bottom Row—Miller, H., Eckhardt, Butterworth, Schaub, Cornelius.

## *The Trap Shooting Club*

THE Trap Shooting Club has proved one of the most popular organizations in school recreations. Periodical meetings are held and the members practice one or two times a week after school.

Nolte won the prize, a large goose, at the tournament held Thanksgiving. Under Captain Moore's leadership this sport becomes more and more prominent every year.



Top Row—Drever, B., Padres, Platt.  
Bottom Row—Wolchansky, Nolte, Cook, Greenlief.

## *The Senior Hop Club*

LOUIS E. NOLTE, Chairman

JESS E. GREENLIEF  
ROY WOLCHANSKY  
MANUAL O. PADRES

J. BRUCE DREVER  
VANTILE PLATT  
EDGAR COOK

AS the year draws to a close and one looks back on the social side of its activities, the fact remains that the dances have been bigger and better than those of the previous years. To whom is the credit due? The Hop Club, on whom falls the burden of selecting dates, music and decorations, certainly deserves a great amount of credit for the success of this year's dances.

Maintaining an excellent standard for their functions from the first monthly informal in October to the last one given by the cadet corps in May, the club has caused every party to be a wonderful pleasure to all.

Under the able direction of our sponsor, Mrs. F. N. Henderson, the large formal dances of the year have all been delightful affairs. All the old men have commented upon how much better and elaborate the decorations have been this year than any year previous. For this innovation the credit goes to Charlie Pfingsten, assisted ably by Dave Watson and Harry Mantz.

We may look forward to the final dance at Commencement with the greatest of pleasure, being assured that an unusually fine program and orchestra will be brought to the Academy. The Corps of Cadets cooperated admirably in inviting members of the fair sex, who after all are the most important part of a ball.







## *Athletics 1926-27*

*First Football—1926*

*First Basketball—1927*

*Second Football—1926*

*Second Basketball—1927*

*Swimming*

*Tennis*

*The Rinky Dinks*





## THE HERALD 1925



Top Row—Mager, Nolte, Higgins, Janovsky, Brash, Wolchansky, Rohlfing, Coach Garetson.  
Middle Row—Jovnt, Borah, Torres, Kjar, Mittendorf, Tinsley.  
Bottom Row—Martinez, J., Allen, Murphy, Platt, Rogerson.

## Football 1926

W. M. A.	12	Chaminade	0
W. M. A.	3	Central High	0
W. M. A.	3	Roosevelt High	13
W. M. A.	24	Christian Brothers College	0
W. M. A.	7	McBride	0
W. M. A.	20	Country Day School	6
W. M. A.	5	Principia	0
W. M. A.	22	St. Louis University High	0
W. M. A.	0	Alton High	0
Total	W. M. A. 96	Opponents	19





## Football 1926

Summarizing the winning of Western's second successive championship.

OCTOBER 2. W. M. A. 12

Chamade 0

Our team was impressive in taking their first step toward the championship. A driving attack led by Borah and Torres put over in a driving rain. The corps showed the old spirit despite the downpour.

OCTOBER 9. W. M. A. 3

Central 0

Borah saved this close one in the last quarter with a drop kick. Torres and Middendorf were outstanding.

OCTOBER 15. W. M. A. 3

Roosevelt 13

Facing one of the best teams in the St. Louis league on their own ground caused the only defeat of the year. "Red" Borah's toe saved us from a shutout.

OCTOBER 23. W. M. A. 24

Christian Brothers College 0

This overwhelming victory left a tie between Western and McBride for the league lead. Brilliant passing and running were combined to the best advantage. Borah was outstanding, but the entire team united their best efforts.

OCTOBER 29. W. M. A. 7

McBride 0

Borah to Murphy spelled defeat for our closest rival and gave Western sole possession of the lead. Murphy, Rohlfing and Torres were prominent in the victory.

NOVEMBER 6. W. M. A. 20

Country Day 6

This game decided the Prep League race and gave Western its second championship eleven in as many years. Murphy, Kjar and Allen played fine football in helping to make possible the record of Borah, who scored the entire twenty points scored by our team.

NOVEMBER 13. W. M. A. 5

Principia 0

The outstanding event of the season was this game and the corps' trip to St. Louis. With only a two-point lead for all but six seconds of the game, this one was a real thriller. For a fitting climax, Borah booted over a forty-yard drop kick in the last few seconds.

NOVEMBER 20. W. M. A. 22

St. Louis U. High 0

For the sixth time in eight games Western let her opponents down without a point. Borah and Mittendorf played their usual stellar game.

NOVEMBER 25. W. M. A. 0

Alton 0

Alton put up a plucky battle to hold the handicapped Western team to a scoreless tie. Torres, Martinez, J., and Rohlfing were the stars of the game.

The wonderful success of the season of 1926 is testimony enough in behalf of the fine playing, sportsmanship and spirit of the entire team and this success likewise testifies to the caliber of Major Garetson's coaching. May Murphy, next year's captain, be the leader of another championship eleven.





Top Row—Capt. Holmes, Allen, Chellis, Magee  
 Middle Row—Bates, Brian, Conrad, Murphy.  
 Bottom Row—Jenovsky, Borab, Franciose, Deimling, Higgins

## *First Basketball*

### *Summarizing the Season's Results*

Dec. 11	Staunton High School	32	W. M. A.	41
Dec. 15	McKendree College	28	W. M. A.	34
Jan. 12	John Burroughs School	16	W. M. A.	47
Jan. 17	Alton DeMolay	20	W. M. A.	21
Jan. 19	Chaminade	23	W. M. A.	45
Jan. 22	McBride	22	W. M. A.	25
Jan. 26	St. Louis U. High	20	W. M. A.	13
Jan. 29	Principia	42	W. M. A.	12
Feb. 5	Country Day School	15	W. M. A.	53
Feb. 9	Christian Brothers College	17	W. M. A.	10
Feb. 12	Alton DeMolay	26	W. M. A.	15
Feb. 16	John Burroughs School	8	W. M. A.	44
Feb. 19	Chaminade	2	W. M. A.	33
Feb. 26	McBride	22	W. M. A.	15
Mar. 2	St. Louis U. High	20	W. M. A.	17
Mar. 5	Principia		W. M. A.	21
Mar. 9	Country Day School		W. M. A.	31
Mar. 11	Christian Brothers College		W. M. A.	21





## *First Basketball*

WITH five members back from last year's squad the prospects for a championship team seemed bright indeed. However, misfortune in various forms made the season an erratic one. Exams, injuries and the age limit did their share in handicapping the success of the team.

The team opened the season with six consecutive victories. St. Louis U. High, who proved to be the league champions, gave the team their first setback. Principia, the outstanding team in the St. Louis district followed this with a crushing 42 to 12 defeat. Western came back and left the small end of a 53-13 count for Country Day. This game marked the end of Higgin's all-around fine work for Western in the Prep League, due to the age limit ruling. The Alton DeMolays next avenged an earlier Western victory by a 26 to 15 score. The Red and Blue five dropped out of the running for the championship when they lost a close, well played game to St. Louis U. High. Though the team put up a great fight in this game, the ambitious aspirants for the Prep League honors were not to be denied. Principia again proved their superiority in a fast game on the home floor. The season was closed with a defeat at the hands of Christian Brothers College.

Francisco, the team captain, was an outstanding man in every game. His speed and experience helped to make him a capable leader on the floor. Janovsky also played a consistently strong game all season. Though Higgins and Deimling were out part of the season, their playing was always praiseworthy. Next year's team will have Deimling and Challis as a nucleus and from what Western knows of Captain Holmes' work, the team will be the best that good coaching can produce.





Top Row—Barth, Kerckhoff, D. Watson, Kerckhoff, A., Conrad, Deimling, Raitt, Myerson.  
Middle Row—Huckins, McWilliams, Francisco, Smiley, Walters, Bishop.  
Bottom Row—Roersch, Dalrymple, Anderson, Moody, Schroeder.

## Second Football

OCTOBER 8.      W. M. A. 6      McKendree College Seconds 6

This game marked the beginning of the season for one of Western's outstanding second teams. Bates scored the touchdown and Walters, and Smiley played well.

OCTOBER 15.      W. M. A. 20      Cathedral High 6

The team showed their strength in administering this first defeat to the team from Alton.

OCTOBER 23.      W. M. A. 48      St. Louis U. High Seconds 0

Bates scored three touchdowns and made good on four goals after touchdowns. Francisco, Bishop, and McWilliams were prominent in this one sided victory.

OCTOBER 30.      W. M. A. 13      Cathedral High 6

Bates scored all the points in giving Cathedral their second trimming.

NOVEMBER 6.      W. M. A. 32      John Burroughs 0

Such was the nature of the welcome given the new entrant in the Preparatory League.

NOVEMBER 20.      W. M. A. 0      Principia 0

Principia always means a hard game and this was no exception. The game was played in six inches of snow and this combined with a cold day made poor playing conditions. Kerckhoff D. tackled a Principia man after he had passed the safety to save the day. Francisco played well on the attack.

One of the most noticeable things about the second team is the quality of material coming up for the first team in 1927. Bishop, Kerckhoff D., Kerckhoff A., Watson, Smiley, Deimling and Bates will form a foundation for building a great first team.

Conrad, McWilliams and Walters will be remembered for their consistent playing.

"Another Holmes coached team" accounts in large measure for the unusual record of the "Seconds" of 1926.





Top Row—Renfrow, Mindel, Hesley, Getzelman.  
Bottom Row—Capt. Droste, Wiley, Smiley, Fischer, Bishop, Sada.

## Second Basketball

WHILE the second team of 1926-27 did not win a majority of their games, consolation can be found in the close scores of some of the encounters. The team includes several men who should be good first team material in 1928. Smiley, Bishop, and Renfrow should be valuable additions next year. Captain Droste, as the coach of the second team, has filled very capably a position that was slighted last year.

### THE TEAM

WILEY  
BISHOP  
FISHER  
SMILEY

MINDEL  
GETZELMAN  
RENFROW  
HESLEY

Jan. 11	Alton High	19	W. M. A.	8
Jan. 15	Alton DeMolay Jrs.	19	W. M. A.	18
Jan. 19	McBride	9	W. M. A.	18
Jan. 22	St. Louis U. High	16	W. M. A.	17
Jan. 29	Principia	21	W. M. A.	13
Feb. 10	Shurtleff College (2nds)	21	W. M. A.	13
Feb. 12	Alton High	20	W. M. A.	24
Feb. 19	Shurtleff College (2nds)	20	W. M. A.	12
Feb. 26	McBride	22	W. M. A.	13
Mar. 1	Alton High	8	W. M. A.	10
Mar. 5	Principia	24	W. M. A.	11
Mar. 9	St. Louis U. High	24	W. M. A.	14



Top Row—Abrams, Boardman, Spencer, Hirschfeld, Boepfel.  
Bottom Row—Challis, Mantz, McKnight.

## Swimming

THE season of 1926 marks the formation of the Dolphin Club composed of swimmers who pass certain qualifications. The best swimmers in this club made up the swimming team. Mantz, Boardman, McKnight and Spencer, members of last year's swimming team were the outstanding performers in the meets held this season.

The first meet on January 25 resulted in a 49 to 20 defeat at the hands of Principia's strong squad. Boardman and Spencer won their events.

Principia gave us another trimming 44 to 25 on February 12. The result of this meet depended on the final event, the relay, in which Principia took all places. Boardman, Mantz and Spencer were the winners for Western. The highlight of the meet was the record of 60 feet in 23 seconds made by Spencer in the plunge.







Cole, Drever, B., Meek, Drever, M.

## Tennis

CLARK, W., was easily the leading player in school and earned his right to first ranking man by defeating Cole, F. 6-2, 6-2 in the final round of the tournament. In the semi-finals Clark, W., defeated Drever, B. 6-3, 6-0 and Cole, F. defeated Meek 7-5, 6-3. Prospective members of the team are Drever, B., Drever, M., Smiley, Meek and Cole, F.





### *Third Team Football*

Oct. 27	St. Louis U. High.....	0	W. M. A	.12
Nov. 3	Country Day School.....	0	W. M. A	.14
Nov. 9	St. Louis U. High.....	7	W. M. A	.6



### *Third Team Basketball*

Jan. 19	McBride.....	5	W. M. A	.15
Jan. 29	Alton High.....	4	W. M. A	.18
Feb. 16	John Burroughs School.....	.12	W. M. A	.24
Feb. 24	Principia.....	4	W. M. A	.11
Mar. 9	McBride.....	.12	W. M. A	.6





## *The R. O. T. C.*

*Cadet Officers 1926-27*

*Company "A"*

*Company "B"*

*Company "C"*

*Company "D"*

*Company "E"*

*The Band*

*The Rifle Team*





## *The R. O. T. C.*

THE instruction for junior units of the Reserve Officers Training Corps consists of a four-year progressive course of study and practical exercises. A cadet finishing the R. O. T. C. course and graduating, though not twenty-one years old, is issued a certificate which will be exchanged for a commission as Second Lieutenant in the Illinois National Guard upon his reaching the age of twenty-one.

In order to carry on more efficiently, the Federal Government has detailed a representative army officer here. It is his duty to supervise all military instruction. Besides this the Academy has been furnished with a splendid and expensive equipment.

The following is a brief outline of the instruction given to each cadet throughout each year of the four-year course.

### *First Year*

Command and Leadership  
Military Courtesy  
Military Hygiene and First Aid  
Physical Drill  
Interior Guard Duty

### *Second Year*

Command and Leadership  
Physical Drill  
Scouting and Patrolling  
Marksmanship (gallery practice)  
Automatic Rifle

### *Third Year*

Command and Leadership  
Physical Drill  
Military Sketching  
Marksmanship  
37 M. M. Gun  
Trench Mortar  
Combat Principles

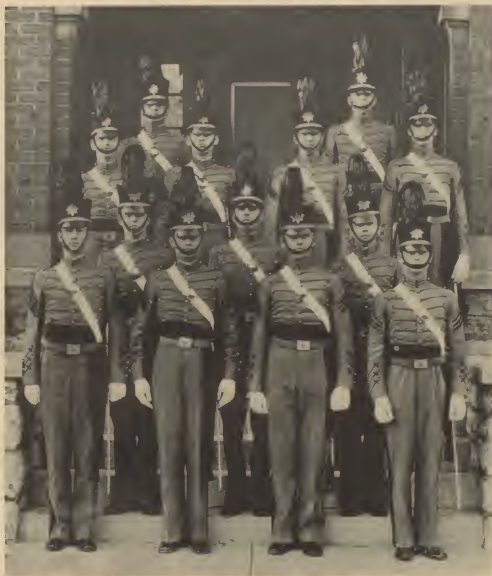
### *Fourth Year*

Command and Leadership  
Students of the fourth year are trained to function as commissioned officers.  
Physical Drill  
Machine Gun  
Musketry  
Marksmanship (range practice)  
Field Engineering  
Combat Principles.





THE DECADE 1927



## Cadet Officers

### Captains

- |                   |                     |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1. G. M. MAGEE    | 3. L. E. NOLTE      |
| 2. W. A. ALBRECHT | 4. J. C. McWILLIAMS |

### First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant

1. J. W. GREENLIEF

### First Lieutenant and Battalion Quartermaster

1. R. C. WOLCHANSKY

### Lieutenants

- |                    |                     |                       |
|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. E. J. TORRES    | 3. M. O. PADRES     | 5. V. W. BARRY        |
| 2. W. F. FRANCISCO | 4. W. G. RAITH, JR. | 6. W. C. BARNARD, JR. |
|                    | 7. J. B. MARKHAM    |                       |





### *"A" Company*

"A" Company started out in September with a morale that was unexcelled. Under the leadership of "Ole Wol" the organization overcame the usual plebian difficulties as rapidly as any other company. Later in the year Lieut. Wolchansky was succeeded by Lieut. Raith, who has successfully fulfilled his position. The company has well distinguished itself in athletics by winning the inter-company basketball championship. So far the year's work has been successful and the men of this company may well be proud of their accomplishments.





## *"A" Company*

*Lieutenant*  
RAITH

*Lieutenant*  
WOLCHANSKY

*First Sergeant*  
DeMINT

*Sergeants*  
PLATT  
BLAKE  
SPENCER

*Corporals*  
SOELL, J.  
KERCKHOFF, D.  
SHERWOOD  
BRASH

### *Privates*

ABT  
BAILEY  
BECKMAN  
BARTH  
BOEPPLE  
BORDEN, P.  
BRENNER  
BUTTERWORTH  
CAMPBELL  
CASSETT  
COE, R.  
COOKSEY

COOPER  
DeLARGY, J.  
DRAPER  
EDWARDS  
ERICSON, E.  
ERICSON, H.  
FISHER  
GORDEN  
GREGORY  
HANDELSMAN  
HARRIS  
HECHT  
MAHAN

NIEMAN  
OAKLEY  
PALMISANO  
POE, W.  
REGAN  
RENFROW  
ROSS, K.  
SCHAUB  
SCHELLENBERG  
STUMPF  
STOLTZ, J.  
WEISS





### *"B" Company*

EVER since the first day of drill, "B" Company has put that old "pep" and fight into their work that is characteristic of all well drilled organizations. It has distinguished itself in the Academic department by being Honor Company for the six weeks' period ending December 18, 1926. The company has also been well represented on the school athletic teams. Lieuts. Francisco and Greenlief, and the non-commissioned officers of this company are putting forth their best efforts in order that "B" may have the privilege of carrying the silk guidon. If the same spirit that now prevails in the company continues, "B" will, no doubt, be successful.







FALL 1927

## *"B" Company*

*Lieutenant*  
FRANCISCO

*Lieutenant*  
GREENLIEF

*First Sergeant*  
WATSON

*Sergeants*  
DREVER, B.  
BOYCE  
STOCK, F.  
THOMAS

*Corporals*  
HIGGINS  
JANOVSKY  
MYERSON  
HARMS  
SMILEY

*Privates*  
ANDROS  
ARSHT  
BARSTOW  
BLOCH, H.  
BRUNO  
BURNSTINE, R.  
CAMPFIELD  
COBURN  
COLE, T.  
COMINS  
EWING, W.  
FLEISHMAN  
FOWLER

*Privates*  
FREEDMAN  
GRAHAM  
GROSSMAN  
HAMILTON  
HERSCHEL  
HESLEY  
HIGHTOWER  
HIRSCHFELD  
KANCHUK  
KATZ  
KERCKHOFF, A.  
LATIMORE  
LISCHKO

LITTLE  
LOWES  
MILLER, S.  
OGLESBY  
PFAHLER  
PRICE  
RAYON  
ROESCH  
ROGINSON  
ROS, A.  
TEMPLETON  
TINSLEY  
VOSS





THE REVEAL 1927



### *"C" Company*

"C" COMPANY'S military record has been splendid. It has distinguished itself several times at parades by its manual of arms and well dressed lines. The organization seems to possess a super-abundance of that spirit most necessary in all military units. On the rifle team, "C" Company is represented by Capt. Nolte and Private Igo. Under the competent leadership of Capt. Nolte and his assistants, Lieuts. Padres and Barnard, "C" expects to give the other companies some real competition. We raise a toast to that company of real men whom we are proud to call our comrades in arms.





## *"C" Company*

*Captain*  
NOLTE

*Lieutenant*  
PADRES

*Lieutenant*  
BARNARD

*First Sergeant*  
LANE

*Sergeants*  
ROHLFING  
DEIMLING  
BATES  
BAKER  
CONRAD  
BISHOP

*Corporals*  
MEEK  
MARTINEZ, J.  
COOK  
WALTERS

### *Privates*

ABELSON  
BOARDMAN  
BORAH, O.  
BURNSTINE, H.  
CARTER, E.  
CLUTTON  
COLE, F.  
DALRYMPLE  
DEWEY  
DREVER, T.  
ECKARDT  
FERNANDEZ

GAINES  
GARRETSON  
GETZELMAN  
GILLETTE  
HAIGHT  
HARGRAVES  
HANSEN  
HAYWARD  
HOOVER  
IGO  
KEARBEY  
KELLOG, R.  
KITTINGER

KJAR  
KNIGHT  
KORACH  
LEVY  
LOPICCOLO  
LUND  
MCCRAY  
MCKNIGHT  
MANTZ  
MOODY  
NEEDLES  
OVERSTREET  
PETERSEN

PFINGSTEN, D.  
POE, N.  
POWELL  
RINAKER  
ROSS, C.  
SADA, S.  
SCOTT  
SETZ  
SQUIRES  
WILLIAMS, P.  
WISE  
WOLFHEIM





### *"D" Company*

SINCE the first of the year "D" Company has distinguished itself by its precision. At the inspection made by Colonel Weeks, the squad representing "D" was selected as the best. This company is represented on the rifle team by Sergt. Huckins, Corp. Kessler, H., Corp. Kessler, W., and private Latimore. It also has more men on the varsity athletic teams than any other company. Under the leadership of Capt. McWilliams, who, by the way, has benefited by one summer's training at Fort Sheridan, and Lieutenant Torres, this organization of splendid fellows is determined to uphold the standards set by the "D" Company of last year.





THE RECALL 1925

## "D" Company

Captain  
McWILLIAMS

Lieutenant  
TORRES

First Sergeant  
RHEA

Sergeants  
HUCKINS  
WHITTON  
WRIGHT

Corporals  
MURPHY  
KESSLER, H.  
KESSLER, W.  
WILEY  
BURDSALL  
SCHROEDER  
SLATER

### Privates

ABRAMS  
ALLEN  
ANDERSON  
BATTERMAN  
BLOCK, C.  
CARTER, J.  
CHALLIS  
CLARK, C.  
DeLARGY, C.  
DERRIS  
DIMARTINO  
DOBYNE  
DOUGHTIE  
DUFFIN

EWING, G.  
FRANK, M.  
GIVENS  
GOLDMAN  
GOLDSTEIN  
GREENSPON  
HARDCASTLE  
HENDRICKS  
HUTCHISON, A.  
HUTCHINSON, J.  
JAMES, F.  
JARRETT  
JOYNT  
McCRORY

MANDEL  
MARKS  
MAULE  
MARTINEZ, E.  
MILLER, H.  
MINDEL  
MITTENDORF  
NOBLE  
PFINGSTEN, C.  
REPLINGER  
ROCHA  
SADA, C.  
SCHNEITHORST  
SCHWARTZ  
SORENCY  
STILNOVIC  
STIVERS  
STOCK, J.  
STOLTZ, W.  
SUMMERS  
THOMPSON  
TRIGG  
TUTHILL  
URQUIDI  
WELLS  
WENOM  
WILLIAMS, J.  
WINTER





### *"E" Company*

1927 marks the second year of "E" Company's existence. Due to the hard work of Lieutenant Barry, V., this company has been greatly improved. When we take into consideration that this company is made up of grammar school cadets, its achievements seem remarkable. It has won the position of Honor Company more times than any other in school. We all hope that in the future the members of this company will hold positions of importance in the corps.

#### *Lieutenant-in-Charge*

Barry, V.

#### *Privates*

ALBRECHT, E.  
BARKER  
BARRY, A.  
BEAR  
BORDEN, C.  
BOSCH  
CARSON  
COSTA  
FRANK, C.

FRANK, L.  
GREENBAUM  
GREENSTONE  
HAYN  
HEYDT  
JAMES, W.  
KUNITZ  
LAURENCE  
LESTER  
MARTINEZ, M.

MORETSKY  
MUNDT  
PRUSS  
SHAEFFER  
SOELL, H.  
SOSNA  
SWIRS  
STEPHENS  
ULEN





THE HIGALL 1927



## The Band

AS a unit, the band has made a very creditable showing this year. Under the capable leadership of our new bandmaster, Capt. Small, it is becoming a very efficient organization.

The services of the band at the varsity games are recognized by all as being indispensable to the spirit of the corps. Without a doubt this organization will give a good account of itself during the Government Inspection and Commencement week.

### THE BAND

*Drum Major*  
ELLIOTT

*Second Lieutenant*  
MARKHAM

*Sergeant*  
LiBEAU

RANNENBERG

*Corporals*  
SHOOP

WASHBURN

BORDEN, P.  
BUTTERWORTH  
CAHOON  
CARSON  
CORNELIUS  
DAVENPORT  
DAVIS, N.  
FURMAN  
GUNNING  
HAMLIN

*Privates*

HOULE  
KARRAKER  
MINOR  
POLLARD  
ROSS H.  
VEDDER  
VITALE  
WHITE  
YOULE





Top Row—Boardman, Kessler, Rhea, Spencer, Kessler, Blake.  
Bottom Row—Boyce, Barnard, Nolte, Sgt. Dunster, Huckins, Albrecht, Lund.

## Rifle Team

### MEMBERS

HUCKINS (Capt.)  
ALBRECHT  
BARNARD  
BLAKE  
BOARDMAN

BOYCE  
EWING, W.  
IGO  
KESSLER, H.  
KESSLER, W.

LATIMORE  
LUND  
NOLTE  
RHEA  
SPENCER

The Rifle Team has so far this year been extremely successful. Western scored seventh place in the Corps Area Match with a score of 3679. The winning team (Crane Tech High School, Chicago, Ill.) scored 3960. The scores for the four other most important matches were:

Western M. A. vs. Kemper M. A. . . .	914-943
Western M. A. vs. St. Johns, N. Y. . .	897-923
Western M. A. vs. N. Mexico M. A. . .	3731-3697
Western M. A. vs. Culver M. A. . . .	3731-3730

The team, due to its excellent record, has been selected to fire in the Junior National Rifle Match.







### *Fraternities 1926-27*

*Delta Sigma*

*Delta Phi Omega*

*Phi Delta*

*Phi Alpha Omega*

*Alpha Delta*





## *Delta Sigma*





## *Delta Sigma*

Founded 1897

Established 1914

Number of Chapters—73

Local Chapter—Gamma Nu

### Officers 1926-27

WILLIAM FRANCISCO	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	President
DAVE WATSON	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	Vice-President
JOE MURPHY	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	Secretary
NED POE	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	Treasurer
HARRY MANTZ	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	Historian
JOHN MCKNIGHT	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	Sentinel

### MEMBER IN FACULTY

CHARLES H. MOORE

### MEMBERS IN SCHOOL

#### Class of 1927

WILLIAM FRANCISCO

NED POE

OLIVER KJAR

#### Class of 1928

TONY JOYNT

CHARLES DE LARGY

IRA OGLESBY

HARRY MANTZ

LOUIS POWELL

JOHN MCKNIGHT

DAVE WATSON

NEIL DEIMLING

#### Class of 1929

WILLIAM ANDERSON

WILLIAM STOLTZ

JACK DE LARGY

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THE RECALL 1937

## *Delta Phi Omega*





THE DECADE 1927

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Incorporated in Denver, Colo.—1908  
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Number of Chapters 48

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### HONORARY SENIOR SOCIETY

Founded at Western Military Academy 1921.

### CONSTITUTION OF THE ALPHA DELTA SOCIETY.

- I. This Society shall be considered as an Honorary Society and not as a social fraternity.
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## Cadet Antics



Spring days bring boat trips. Then we are certain to see cadets and their favorite antics. Most of the pictures are reminders of our past friends—the Class of 1926. Bertha Smith, Sweep Krauss, Valentine and others are names that the Class of 1927 can't forget.



# Athletics



Fall days and fair bring the cold crisp afternoons with football practice. Coach Holmes, commonly called "Ducky", is here pictured with his favorite Red and Blue chapeau. The rest of the pictures speak for themselves.

# Government Inspection



Preparation for the Inspection and a celebration of the "Honor School Designation" are memories that we don't often forget.  
The small oval insert shows the Faculty in the act of seeing how "the bet was won".



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# Scenes



Key to Chart:

Guarding "E" Barracks  
The Library

The Plateau in Mid-Summer  
A Reminder of the Days of 1917-18

Deserted Seminary Street

Recreation Period





THE RECALL 1921

# Officers



*The Snap-Editor bewails the fact that more faculty pictures do not grace this page. Maybe in years to come, when little Willie and petite Jane are asking for another tale about the life at W. M. A., perhaps that this section may aid in ascertaining "Who's Jerry? Charlie? The Brig? Mike? or some of the others.*





## Kadet Kalendar

### APRIL

- APRIL 17—The Recall goes to press. Forward the Juniors.  
APRIL 18—Furloughs for some. The river trip, "Monty Bound", and hikes keep the rest of us out of mischief.  
APRIL 23—Monticello Bound! Two bus loads of Western Cadets conquer Monticello Seminary at formal dance. A good time was had by all.  
APRIL 24—Western bows to St. Louis U. High nine 8-4.  
APRIL 28—Jefferson Barracks Officers make preliminary inspection of Cadet Corps and make a favorable report. Western conquers Country Day 12 to 2.

### MAY

- MAY 1—Chaminade bowed to Western, 11-5. The Kimmel Follies entertained us in the evening.  
MAY 3—GOVERNMENT INSPECTION GOES OVER BIG!!!! Excellent record made by cadets.  
MAY 5—Western downs C. B. C. nine 11-10. Miss Louise Stallings' musicale in the drill hall.  
MAY 11—"Charlie Creath's Chocolate Boys" kept the cadet corps in excellent spirit on the Spring Boat Trip.  
MAY 13—Golf team makes first appearance against St. Louis U. High.  
MAY 15—Western again defeats Country Day 17-4.  
MAY 19—Western loses to Chaminade 14-13.  
MAY 27—Country Day wins Prep League Track Meet. Western is third.  
MAY 28—WESTERN MAKES HONOR ROLL!!!!!!  
MAY 29—Western's Tennis Team downs Chaminade.  
MAY 31—Decoration Day! Parade to cemetery in morning. "D" Company wins the track meet in the afternoon.

### JUNE

- JUNE 3—Seniors hold banquet. Huge Success!  
JUNE 5—Letters awarded to "W" winners.  
JUNE 6—Baccalaureate Sunday opens Commencement Program.  
JUNE 9—Class Day! Senior Class presents "Capt. Applejack". Exhibition drills in the afternoon.  
JUNE 10—Graduation Exercises in the morning. Capt. Albrecht and his "Crack 'D' Company" win the company competition. Junior Prom in the evening. A big success in spite of the unwelcome rain.  
JUNE 11—Well, good-bye old classmates—

GOOD-BYE.







## *Kadet Kalender*

### SEPTEMBER

- SEPT. 15—Wednesday! Heat! Western! So long "ole" vacation.  
SEPT. 16—Plebe constituents arrive. The first study hour begins. Sweat! Sweat! Sweat!  
SEPT. 19—First picture show. Should have been held on the roof but the elevator was out of order.  
SEPT. 22—First football practice. Much "goodly" material.  
SEPT. 25—Everything set and running smoothly. "A" Company leaves for Chautauqua.  
SEPT. 28—A deluge in 48 hours.

### OCTOBER

- OCT. 2—Beginning of the march to victory. Chaminade 0, Western 12. Atta boy!  
OCT. 6—"B" Company and Chautauqua make out "fine". Central High 0, Western 3.  
OCT. 12—Cadets take possession of the far-famed "Bald Eagle" and sail over the bounding main.  
OCT. 16—Did a cog slip? Roosevelt High 13, Western 3.  
OCT. 23—Christian Brothers College is defeated by first team. Score 24-0. Western seems to be mathematically inclined. Rinkeydinks 12, First team 24; Second team 48. A perfect day is concluded with an evening dance.  
OCT. 30—Mrs. Murphy certainly knows how to plan a good meal. Witches and Goblins hold sway. The corps seems to be too athletically inclined when one considers the contests in the gym.

### NOVEMBER

- Nov. 6—Still marching. Country Day 6, Western 20.  
Nov. 11—Armistice Day celebrated with a half holiday and gray shirts.  
Nov. 13—The corps steps out in large automobiles, dines at the Chase, takes in the theaters and last but not least witnesses the score of Principia 0, Western 5.  
Nov. 20—At last the long awaited appointments are made. Many a Sam Brown covers a swelled chest.  
Nov. 21—Sunday parade held in the snow or otherwise known as Western's trip to the North Pole.  
Nov. 25—Thanksgiving, and O, what a dinner! Alton 0, Western 0. Nolte minus the aid of Captain Holmes wins a duck in the trap shooting contest. A formal dance concludes the end of a perfect day.

### DECEMBER

- DEC. 1—Beginning the last lap—only 16 more days.  
DEC. 8—Rotarians dine at Western. The various department heads make short talks.  
DEC. 11—A wrestling match. Forward Battling Badsall and others. Basketball progresses. Stanton 31, Western 42.  
DEC. 14—Football team is the guest of the Rotarians and Kiwanis.  
DEC. 16—Added appointments and more swelled chests.  
DEC. 17—Christmas vacation begins. See you later fellows on January 3. So long!







## Kadet Kalendar

### JANUARY

- JAN. 3—Everyone returns from Christmas vacation. Homesickness, yawns, and assignments.  
JAN. 6—Ice! Ice! Ice! Hockey team displays great form on "Lake Western".  
JAN. 11—Mr. Rug gives a very interesting address on liquid air. "Coises!" He is foiled in an attempt to freeze ole Wal's fingers.  
JAN. 12—Western defeats John Burroughs 45-16.  
JAN. 13—Senior Class elects officers. Results forthcoming.  
JAN. 17—Close shave is right. Alton DeMolay 20, Western 21.  
JAN. 18—Corps entertained in Drill Hall by "Love in Livery", presented by Coffey-Miller Players.  
JAN. 20—Sweat! Work! Clean! Colonel Weeks of the Sixth Corps Area makes inspection.  
JAN. 22—McBride High 25, Western 22. Rotten! Formal dance held in Drill Hall at night.  
JAN. 24—Major Eaton III makes his debut.  
JAN. 24—Principia 42, Western 12. Still rotten! Dramatic Club gives performance in school room.

### FEBRUARY

- FEB. 1—Great quantities of midnight oil being burned.  
FEB. 4—EXAMS!!!!!!  
FEB. 5—EXAMS!!!!!!  
FEB. 8—Junior Class sponsors a faculty recital. Enjoyed by all.  
FEB. 10—George Sisler addresses the corps.  
FEB. 22—Washington's Birthday! O! What a dinner! First of Seniors dine with Colonel Jackson. Dress Parade! Formal Dance! Great! End of a Perfect Day!  
FEB. 26—Furloughs for some. The remaining Cadets well entertained by Kimmel Kiddies.

### MARCH

- MARCH 5—Last basketball game of season. Principia again defeats Western 32-21. Tough luck, fellows. Western rallies and walks over Prin. in wrestling and boxing matches.  
MARCH 16—A large part of the corps go to Lower Alton to see Beau Geste. They return with many wet handkerchiefs. A wonderful picture.  
MARCH 19—Inter-Frat. dance held for all fraternity men. Remainder of corps makes a trip to St. Louis. Both events are a huge success. For the love o' Pete! Someone pat the corps on the back before they do something to spoil everything.  
MARCH 21—Captain Littlefield invests in a fifteen-dollar Overland. God bless him! Francisco is elected Captain of the Baseball Team. Congratulations!

### APRIL

- APRIL 1—April Fool with much fooling.  
APRIL 5—Easter expectations.  
APRIL 8—Mid-semester EXAMS!!!  
APRIL 9—DITTO!!!  
APRIL 13—Easter furlough! Maybe? The 1927 RECALL goes to press.





## *We Nominate for Western's Hall of Fame*

JOE CARROLL McWILLIAMS,

Because he is the President of the Class of 1927; because he was a member of the Second Football Team; because he is the Vice-President of the Delta Phi Omega; and finally, because he is a cadet captain.

JESSE WILLIAM GREENLIEF,

Because he ranks high in Academic work; because he is the Vice-President of the Class of 1927; because he is an officer in the Delta Phi Omega; because he is a First Lieutenant and Adjutant; and finally, because he expects to enter West Point.

(First Ballot)

WILLIAM VERNON BARRY,

Because he is an officer in the Class of 1927; because he is a member of the Recall Staff of 1927; because he is President of the Delta Phi Omega; because he is a Lieutenant and in charge of "E" Company; and finally, because he has been a good student not only in the classroom but in social life of the school.





## *We Nominate for Western's Hall of Fame*

LOUIS NOLTE,

Because he has served as a member of the Dance Committee; because he was a member of the 1926 Champion Football Team; because he has been a member of the Upper Ten; because he has served as an officer of the Phi Delta; and finally, because he is a high ranking cadet officer.

ROY WOLCHANSEY,

Because he has spent the last two years of Grammar School and the four years of High School at Western; because he was a member of the Champion Football Team of 1926; because he is a member of the Recall Staff; and finally, because he is a cadet officer.  
(Second Ballot)

EMILIO TORRES,

Because he has played First Team football for three years; because he has been a member of the baseball and track teams; because he was Captain of the Football Team of '26; because he is President of the Phi Alpha Omega; and finally, because he is a cadet officer.  
(Third Ballot)



# The Upper Ten 1926-27

September 16 to October 25.

GROSSMAN	94 25
MEEK	91 2-5
LiBEAU	90 75
RINAKER	90 75
MARKS	90 5
PADRES	90 5
MARKHAM	89 5
SADA, C	89 5
SCOTT	89 2-5
KESSLER, W	89 1-5
KELLOGG, R	89
SCHWARTZ	89
HIGHTOWER	88 75
VOSS	88 5

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL

(Honorable Mention)

SCHNEITHORST	89
BORDEN, C	87 2-5

(12 Weeks)

## Bronze Medal Winners

GROSSMAN	93 75
MEEK	91 7
NOLTE	91 29
SADA, C	91
MARKHAM	90 75
PADRES	90 75
SLATER	90 6
SCOTT	90 6
KELLOGG, R	90 25
SCHWARTZ	90 25
MARKS	90 25
RINAKER	90 375
HAYN	89 75
LiBEAU	89 75
MAHON	89 375
ALBRECHT, E	89 375

Semester Ending February 5, 1927.

SADA, C	93 75
PADRES	92 75
MARKHAM	92 25
HAYN	92
NOLTE	91 75
KELLOGG, R	91 50
SCOTT	91 2
DiLARGY, J	91
GROSSMAN	91
SLATER	91
LiBEAU	90 75
MUNDEL	90 5
NIEMANN	90 5

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Highest Averages

BORDEN, C	92 2
SCHNEITHORST	89 4

October 25 to December 18, 1926.

SLATER	93 4
GROSSMAN	93 25
SADA, C	92 5
NOLTE	92 25
MARKHAM	92
MEEK	92
SCOTT	91 8
HAYN	91 5
KELLOGG, R	91 25
SCHWARTZ	91 25
DiLARGY, J	91
PADRES	91
NIEMANN	90 75

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Highest Averages

SCHNEITHORST	90 8
BORDEN, C	90 4

For Term February 6 to March 20, 1927.

SADA, C	93 5
HAYN	93 5
NOLTE	93 333
PADRES	93 25
SCHWARTZ	92 75
SLATER	92 75
SCOTT	92 2-5
MEEK	92 25
MARKHAM	91 5
GROSSMAN	91 5
MUNDEL	91 5
PFÄHLER	91 25
GREENSTONE	91 25
CARTER, E	90 5
LiBEAU	90 25
ROS, A	90 25

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Highest Averages

SCHNEITHORST	91 8
BORDEN, C	90 8



## *The Senior Directory*

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As in the world we wend."*

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